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Selectmens' Records.

Second Book.

1721-1754.

The principal contents of this volume relate to the following subjects - namely:

- I The apportionment of the repairs of highway to the different surveyors.
- II The commitment of tax-lists to the constables for collection, and settlements with them for the same
- III Agreement with persons to take care of the poor and payment of the same.
- IV Orders drawn on the Town Treasurer for town expenses.

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This Book bought for the use of the
Coste fiveeell shillings for the use of the
select men

That meeting of select march yth 10: 1421

Then granted to the several servaives of high ways
their parts and per portion of the above ways of the
town for this present year 1421 to amend and keep
in Repaire. viz. Mr James some of servaive of high
ways his parte and per portion beginning at piggion
Cove so called and from thence as the way leads to the
meeting house to keep in good Repaire at all times
at the same meeting granted to Mr James parsons servaive
of high ways to begin at the cut so called and as the way leads
out to the fresh water Cove and after Ruler Head and
so to Ruler Cave to Manchester Lane and to keep all so
ways in good Repaire this yere in suming at all times

at the same meeting granted to William Herrell servaive
of high ways to be gin at the green hill line and as the way
leads to the fairye and to Criscom and Litch field
and to keep all so ways in good Repaire this yere
in suming at all times

at the same meeting granted to Mr James sawyer servaive
of high ways to amend beginning at Hugh Rows hill so called
and as the way are lead out on Record till you come
to the cut and so to the meeting house Bridge and so
all the ways above expressed and to amend the ways
at all times and keep in Repaire as the Row directs

at the meeting above so then granted to Mr Thomas
Whitham servaive his per portion beginning at piggion Cove
and so as the ways are on record till you come to high
Rows hill and fall not to keep them amended at all times
and all so to the easern pointe

at a meeting above so then granted to Mr
honory Lofkin as you are chosen hog
weat for the year in suming your Lord
extends to all parts within the pssinch
line and in his majesties name your
Require to perform your office according to Law

at a meeting of the select men march the 30 day 1721
then granted to Mr Moses Smith as he was
Chosen hog reeve for the year In fouling
your Lewis extends from the meeting house
to Nathaniels whorfe house and to find water
houses and several Cows and fells point and
In his magistrats name you are required
to perform your offices according to Law.

at the meeting a boue so then perportioned to Mr Gall.
since as he was Chosen hog reeve for the year 1721 then
he was fined to Eastern point and harbor to Rows hill and
piggion Cowl and you are Required In his magistrats name
to be faithfull as the Law directs

at the meeting about 30 then perportioned to Mr John
Gentry as he was Chosen hog reeve for this year - 1721
then he was fined from his own house to the meeting house bridge
and as far as the river and as far as fresh water Cows and
you are Required In his magistrats name to be faithfull as
the Law directs.

at directing a boue so then perportioned to Mr John Boutman
as hog reeve his limits extend to Mr Nathaniel whorfe and piggion
Cowl and all square and you are Required In his magistrats name
to be faithfull in charge in his office as the Law directs

at a meeting of the select men may the 9th 1721
upon which the aforesaid Joseph Sargent made Return
of his warrant committed to him to warrant
eloueth out of town which he Constabed in
he eloueth did departe the town Constabed in

may the first 1723 Mr Caleb Norwood Crier
for six pawns in province Bills of credit which
is in part of the money due to ^{the} Parish for what
he so Norwood is behind hand of his rates as the
Constable formerly.

At a meeting of the select men March 18th 1721
Then agreed with mr mory smith to take the care
of the meeting house and sweep it and to attend
and Ring the Beelatt all seasons for the year
1721 and to Recieve for his painis and worke
the sume of foure pounds and fifteen shillings

04 15 00

March the 10 1721 an abaruant of a uofe from
the town that we should allow Joseph Gardner
Something more for the maintenance of his mother
Elnell, so we have allowed thes pound

03 00

march the 21 at a meeting of the select men
a warrant was drawn to warn Jacob Ewleth
out of the town of gloschee and given to
the Constable of said town to warn him
to return to the town where he belonged

at a meeting of the select men a vote so
that we agreed with mr Edward Tompson to teach
a school in the town of Gloucester for one
year at a yeare for nine pounds from
march the 20th

At a meeting of the Select^{men} May the 11 1721
Then an order was Drawn on mr John Ring
Town Treasurer to Pay to Doctor Plumer

17 00 17 06

At a Meeting of the Select^{men} May the 11 1721
Then an order was Drawn on mr John Ring
Town Treasurer to Pay to Ed James Sawyer
foure pound sixteen shillings for his services at
the last General Court at Representative

04 16 00

At a meeting of the Select Men May the 11th 1721
Made up with mr Jacob Norwood Constable
and thare Ramans Du to upon the account of
the meeting house Rented to the town
fifteen pounds Eleven shillings and 2
which we have ordered the payment of the same
to mr John Ring Town Treasurer

15 11 02

At a meeting of the Select men May the 15 1721
Then a warrant was Drawn and Directed to mr
Andrew Robinson Constable to Warn Richard Peters
forth with and his family to Depart the Town and go
from whence he came

May the 17 By vote of the Warrant above mentioned
Richard Peters and his family was Warned out of town
to Depart from whence he came by Andrew Robinson
Constable

^{Am. 1721}
 Attn of the Select men June the 23 1721
 Shon accounted With m Andran Rigs Constable
 for the yeare one thousand seven hundred twen
 by 1420 for the province Tax Comited to him
 to Reuey and Collect and and so Constable was
 ordered to make pay men to mr. Jer. Allen prvince
 Street the sum of forty nine pounds six shillings
 and five pence out of sd Rate which amounted in
 the whole to the sume of eighty two pounds six
 shillings and a Elauen pence - - - - - } 82=16-1
 and No Receipt appeared from under the hand of
 the prouince Treas. and there was a bated to sd
 Constable that could not be gathered generall parsons
 Rates the sume of five pounds one shilling - - - - - } 205-01-0
 and a owed so Constable for Collecting sd Rate - - - - - } 502-00-0
 Rate from so Constable the sume of twenty six
 pounds seven shillings and six pence - - - - - } 226-10-0
 which sume so Constable was orderd to pay to
 to mr John Ring town Treas. forth with - - - - - }

At the meeting a boue so then a counted with the
 Constables a boue for two Rates namely the ministers
 Rate and Town Rate both amounting in the whole the
 sume of two hundred sixty nine pounds seven shillings
 and four pence - - - - - } 2269-4-1
 and so Constable had made payment of sd Rates as by
 Receipts appeared from under the hand of mr John Ring
 town Treas. the sume of one hundred seventy seven pounds
 seven shillings and six pence - - - - - } 1973-11-1
 and so seven been pounds elouen shillings and 4 pence - - - - - } 17-11-1
 and a bated to so Constable that could not be collected
 seven been pounds thirteen shillings and four pence
 and a owed to so Constable for Collecting the sume of six
 pounds six shillings and four pence - - - - - } 16-13-2
 and one pound more a owed for warning town of seers
 and other things to so Constable - - - - - } 201-6-0
 and there Remains yet in so Constables hands yet to complete
 so Rates fifty pounds eight shillings and seven pence - - - - - } 508-7-7
 which so Constable is orderd to pay in to mr John
 Ring town Treas. forth with - - - - - }

At a meeting of the select men June th 23 1721
Shon an order Was Drown on m^r John Ring
Town Treasurer To pay to m^r John Smith
Eight shilings and six pence for Work Don
abought the burying place making the fence
and Gate

0 0 0 8 00

July th 8 1721 Shon an order Was Drown
on m^r John Ring Town Treasurer To Pay To
m^r Edward Tompson nine pounds 1/4 being for
copying of Seal and quarter of years for
Grist

0 9 00 00

At a meeting of the select men July th 10 1721
Shon an order by m^r Jacob said Constable
for 1720 for upprance Rate and stown Rate

and the whole Rates to the sum of 40-13-10
and so Constable was ordered the Rates of general
persons could not be gathered the sum of -
and so Constable was ordered for collecting the Rates
and a new Constable for serving Dan for the
town in working general persons out of town and town
of persons
So Constable had made payment as by Receipt
from under the hand of m^r John Ring tow treas the sum

40 13 10

0 2 01 2

0 1 15 0

0 1 04 0

24 01 2

and so Constable was ordered to pay to m^r Ger
offen province treas the sum of 22-18-4
and so Constable yet Remaine in dept to Com plect
So Robes the sum of -
which he was ordered to pay to m^r John Ring
town treas for th with

22 18 4

18 13 10

At a meeting of the select men July th 10 1721
Shon an order Was Drown on m^r John Ring
Town Treasurer To pay to Cap Andrew Roberson
John Combs and Stowen Clay the sum of thirty
five shilings 1/4 being for mending the Brigintown
When the Small pox Was enbot

0 1 15 00

At a meeting of the select men July th 10 1721
Shon an order Was Drown on m^r John Ring
Town Treasurer To pay to m^r Ruth Moler the sum
of thirty shilings 1/4 being for mending the Brigintown
When the Small pox Was enbot

0 2 00 00

6th a meeting of the select men July y^e 31 1721
 Then accomplished with ^{m^r} Ebenezer Davis for a Rate which he
 was appointed Receiver for and whic Rate was to Defray
 the Charge of Repairing the meeting house and Building y^e gallies
 which Rate was in the whole that sd Davis Received: 109-15-3
 and paid m^r John Durgout of which he Received 108-02-1
 and thire Remained in sd Davis hand who was to Receive
 the sum to complete sd sum paid in to him 001-12-1
 which was allowed sd Davis for his pains and Care there in
 and there Remains in Constables Caleb norwoods hands
 is ingutreed in this ~~page~~ Boock in page y^e thirde - 15-11-

At a meeting of the select men July th 31 1721
 Then a norder Was Drown on m^r John Ring Town Treasurer
 to pay to m^r Ebenezer Davis the sum of nine shilings
 Whobing for the use of the poor - } 00-09-0

At a meeting of the select men July th 31 1721
 Then made up with m^r John Ring Town treasurer
 from the beginning of his being treasurer to this day and
 here remains to the town from sd Treasurer the
 sum of one hundred and thirty four pounds fifteen shilings
 and six pence and all the orders which he Drown on him
 to pay for the time past to this day and sd Treasurer he
 to pay from Constable Andrew Riggs the sum of seven
 six pounds nineteen shilings and four pence which he proper
 Du when said money he paid and eight pence which he proper
 shilings and 2 which he from Constable Samson
 he thirty nine pound seven shilings and 4 which he Du
 to the town - besides said money which he Du when sd
 Constable has paid in all the said rates so the hole sum
 of money which he Du to the town he from sd Treasurer -
 he one hundred thirty four pounds fifteen shilings and 6 - }
 134-15-6
 76-19-4
 18-13-10
 39-11-4

At a meeting of the select men July th 31 1721
 Then a notification Was set up to grant liberty to make
 at m^r rate and minister rat - on the 14 of agust next
 in suing the rate here of -

At a meeting Also said Then Agreed With -
 m^r William Osgood To Cop and Eschack a school
 in Gloucester for the space of one yeare from the Date
 hereof & sd Osgood is to have Forty five pound
 for his yeare. Darius begins July the 13: 1722

Glocester August th 17 1721 Received from Mr Andrew
Riggs the sum of forty nine pounds Six shilings and 5 p^{ts} In full
as by a receipt from Mr Jeremy Allen Treasuer
£49-6-5

At a meeting of the select men August the 22nd 1721
Then a norder was drawn on Mr John Ring
Town Treasurer To pay to Mr Eps. Sargent Esq
the sum of sixteen shilings 1/2 being due for
a Cook bought of him for the Towns use
At a meeting of the select men September the 1st
1721 Then a order was drawn on Mr John Ring Town
Treas: to pay to Thomas Bray jun^r the sum of
twelve pounds it being in part for maintaining the
widow Gooden in her Daughters. This present year

At a meeting of the select men October th 16 1721
Then a order was drawn on Mr John Ring Town
Treasuer To pay or Discount To Mr Andrew Riggs
the sum of three pounds nineteen shilings and 1/2 3-19-1/2
it being for Souldor parsons rates allowed him
that could not be collected by Reason they were so
poore

At a meeting of the select men October th 17 1721
Mr John Ring Town Treasurer Dr to the
Town of Glocester by Rates Ordered To be paid in
by Constable Andros ^{the Constable} fifteen pound five shilings & 1/2 } 15-05-2
by Thomas Riggs Collector two hundred thirty four
pounds ~~pounds~~ thirteen shilings & 10- } 234-13-10
by Constable Joseph Haschell thirty three pounds } 33-16-1
Sixteen shilings & 1/2 - - - - -

Item paid by the Town Treasurer in year 1721 of Sum of ten shilings
being a fine of a bill of cost charged on the Town for a fine being
presented and 5 ten shilings being accounts for onto John Ring
on March 20: 1721

At a meeting of the select a to ber the 14: 1721
Then a tax was levied on the poles and egots in and belonging
to the easterly side of an aquion River for thire paying thire
parte and per portion to the town charges this present
yeare a mounting in the whole to the sume of eighty
seven pounds one shilling and nine pence - - $87-1-9$

and all so a minesvers Rate levied on the poles and egotes
of the inhabibance a house so far thire paying the Reuerent mr
John whit his salrey this present yeare a mounting in the whole
to the sume of one hundred and foure pounds foure shilling
and seven pence - - $104-4-4$

And all so a list of Transient ^{who are Resident in town} persons a town
and province and minesvers Rates for thire pay
ing thire just per portion to the Rates a house so
a mounting in the whole to the sume of forty three pounds
seven shillings and three pence - - $43-7-3$

And a list of the collecters the same lists
which Rates or assessments were made in three
Distinct lists and comited un to mr Thomas Riggs our shia
to pay in to mr John Ring town over or his successer in so
offis. the whole sume of one hundred seuenteen pounds
and eleven pence - - $117-0-11$

And a list of the sume to all Committed
to you to collect att or before the thirtieth day of
Decem ber next in giving the date here of and the
other half part of so sume total you are to pay in
to mr John Ring town over or his successer in so offis
att or before the thirtieth day of march next in giving the
date here of which is to complete the whole lists one
hundred and seven pounds ~~eighteen~~ shillings and
a Leuen pence - - $117-0-11$

and to assu and complete your a compts with
the select men att or before the thirtieth day of may
next in giving the date here of - -
all which three lists a mounts in the whole to the
sume of two hundred thirty foure pounds thir teen
shillings and eleven pence - - $234-13-11$

At a meeting of the selectmen October the 17 1721
Then a order Was Drown on mr John Ring Town
Treasurer to pay to mr Nathaniel Sargent the sum
of three pound nine shillings & 4. it being for saruss
don for the town - - $3-9-4$

At a meeting a house said a order Was Drown
on mr John Ring Town Treasurer to pay to
Nathaniel Ellen Elson pound six shillings & 9
it being for saruss & Expences for the towns
use - - $11-6-9$

At a meeting of the select men October 17 1721
Then Comitted to Mr Joseph Hasckell Con-
stable a prouince Rate amounting in the whole
to twenty five pounds one shilling and five pence
out of which Taxe so Constable was ordered to
pay to Mr Jeremiah Allen prouince tre the
sum of eighteen pounds one shilling and two pence
and to pay in the Remainder of so Rate to Mr
John Ring town tre or at his pleasure in so affes-
the sum of five pounds one shilling and
one pence - three pence - after the
the thirty day of January next in giving
the date here of and till so a town Taxe com-
mited to so Constable to collect amounting in
the whole to the sum of twenty eight pound
s fifteen shillings and seven pence
and a warrant for the collecting of the same
and so Constable was ordered to pay to Mr
John Ring town tre the one halfe part of
so Taxe att or before the first day of Decem-
ber and the other halfe part to so Constable
was orderered to pay in to so tre att or
before the thirty day of march next in gi-
uing the date here of and to give and make
up your accounts with the select men att
or before the first day of may next in
giving the date here of

23-1-5
18-1-2
05-0-3
28-15-10

at the meeting a boue so then comitted a
prouince Taxe to Mr Andrew Robinson Con-
stable a mounting in the whole to the sum
of sixty nine pounds eight shillings and 9-69-08-9
and so Constable was ordered to pay to Mr
Jeremiah Allen prouince tre the sum of fifty four
pounds three shillings and seven pence
and the over plus of so Taxe so Constable
was ordered by a warrant comitted with so Taxe
to pay in to Mr John Ring town tre the
sum of fifteen pounds five shillings and 15-5-2
and to make up your accounts of your collection
with the select men att or before the first
day of march in giving the date here of

At a meeting of the Selectmen October the 17 1721
Then a order Was Drown on Mr John Ring
Town Treasuer to pay to Ed James Sawgar
the sum forty eight shillings it being for Sarrus
don for the town

2-8-00

At a meeting a boue said a order Was Drown
on Mr John Ring Town Treasuer to pay to Thomas
Bray the sum of four pound four shillings
it being for Sarrus don for the town

4-14-0

¹⁰ At a meeting of the Selectmen November 15 1721
Then an order Was Drown on m^r John Ring
Town Treasurer To pay to m^r Joseph Gardner
The Sum of Eight pounds nine shillings it being
for Coping and charges for burying Ester Elwell
Which is in full of all accounts Concerning [£]8-9-
Ester Elwell -

At a meeting of the Selectmen November th 15 1721
Then an order Was Drown on m^r John Ring
Town Treasurer To pay to m^r William Osgood [£]12-0-
Twelve pounds it being in part of his yeards salary
for Coping of School -

At a meeting of the Selectmen November th 23 1721
Then a order Was Drown on m^r John Ring [£]0-8-
Town Treasurer to pay to m^r Meres Smith
Eight shillings it being for Digging Peter Lurui Graves

At a meeting of the Selectmen November th 23 1721
Then a order Was Drown on m^r John Ring
Town Treasurer to pay to m^r Thomas Brayant
the Sum of four pounds ten shillings it being for [£]4-10-
Keeping the Widow Gooding and her daughter Elener
Which is in full for the time past till the fourth
of this instant November and what time he has
Capt them Since is du to [£]5 Bray -

At a meeting of the Selectmen November th 23 1721
Then a order Was Drown on m^r John Ring
Town Treasurer to pay to Cap Joseph Allen [£]2-1-
The Sum of forty one shillings and sixpence
it being for glass used for the meeting house
and Schoolhouse and a small mator to the poor

At A meeting of the Selectmen November the 23 1721 11

Then agreed With Mr Thomas Bray junr
for to provide for the Widow Gooding and her daughter
Eleanor that is to say Consonant to a Drinck wash
ing and lodging and firing for the space of twelue
month from the Date hereof and the sd Bray is to
haue for his care and trouble thirty three pounds
one half forth with and the other half at the End
of sd term of time and in case the sd parsons or either
of them should Decease With in sd term of time
sd Bray is to haue in parpotion for the time of the said
lives and in case sd parsons or either of them should be
visited with extraordinary Sickness or lamd sd Bray
is to be allowed for his care and charge the ordin-
and sd Bray is to haue the use and benefit of the house
and what Labour and seruise they can doe within sd
term and at the End of sd term the sd Bray is to
leave them as well clothed and provided for as when he
Received them as witness my hand

Thomas Bray

At A meeting of the Selectmen November the 23 1721

Then A Order Was Drawn on Mr John Ring
Town Treasuer to pay to Thomas Bray junr
the Sum of Sixteen pounds ten shillings it being } 16-10-0
in part of pay for keeping the wd Gooding
and her daughter Eleanor for this year in suing

At A meeting of the Selectmen Decembr the 1 1721

Then A Order Was Drawn on Mr John Ring
Town Treasuer to pay to Andrew Riggs
the Sum of twenty Eight shillings & Eleven } 1-8-11
pences it being allowed him for Rates Cou'd
not be Collected

At A meeting of the Selectmen Decembr the 13 1721

Then A Warant Was Directed to Constabel Andrew Robinson
to Warn John Batty and his family so Depart the town
forth With and make Du Returns of the same

At A meeting A laud To then A Warant Was Directed
to Constabel Joseph Hascoll to Warn
and his family to Depart the town forth With and
make Du return of the same

¹² At a meeting of the Selectmen December the 13 1721
Then a Order Was Drawn on Mr John Ring
Town Treasurer to Deliver to Mr Thomas Bray
the Sum of ten pound it being to pay the County
Rate and money to pay for apprais of Clothe } 10-00
belonging to the town now in the Clothers hand
& money is to pay for futing. & Clothe

December the 21 1721

3. Varty of the Warant Entord on the other
Side John Bate & his family Was Warned.
out of the town & to depart from Whence
they Came by Andrew Robinson Constabel

January the 2 1721 Rec^d of Mr Andrew Riggs
A Recoit For forty four pounds fourteen Shilings & 3
in full of What he Was orderd to pay in to the
town Treasurer by A Recoit under Mr John Rings
hand bearing Date

December the 29 1721

At a meeting of the Selectmen December the 25 1721
Then a Order Was Drawn on Mr John Ring
Town Treasurer to pay To Mr John Durgoe
the Sum of five pound & 9 it being for £5-00
Work Don for the town to the pound three pound
Six Shilings & 6 To the meeting house 16
To the Schoolehouse 18 & 3

At a meeting of the Selectmen February the 6 1721
Then a Good Willk William Davis To tack Car
of the W^d Abiel Andrews sell further orders and
he is to have Reasonabel Satisfaction for his Trouble

At A meeting of the Selectmen February the 6 1721 13
Then A Order Was Drawn on Mr John Ring Town
Treasurer to pay to Mary Allen the Sum of Sixteen Shilings
it being for Nursing the Wd Ruth Miller. £0-16-0

At A meeting A bout 5 Then A Order Was Drawn
on Mr John Ring Town Treasurer to pay to Mrs Mary Allen
the Sum of three pounds Eighteen Shilings it being £3-18-0
for Curing Ebenezer Lourey & his Diet —

At A meeting A bout 5 Then A Order Was Drawn
on Mr John Ring Town Treasurer to pay to Mr William
Osgood the Sum of Twelve pound it being in part £12-0-0
of pay toward his Coping Schoole this present year

At A meeting A bout 5 Then A Order Was Drawn
on Mr John Ring Town Treasurer to pay to Mr £1-14-0
Andrew Riggs thirty four Shilings & it being a
mistake in the Rates —

At A meeting A bout 5 Then A Order Was Drawn
on Mr John Ring Town Treasurer to pay to Mr.
Ezekiel Day the Sum of nineteen Shilings it } 0-19-0
being for Wood Goot for Rachel Lourey —

At A meeting A bout 5 Then A Order Was Drawn
on Mr John Ring Town Treasurer to pay to Mr
Thomas Sargent the Sum of five Shilings it } 0-5-0
being for Wood Goot for Rachel Lourey —

At A meeting of the Selectmen February the 19 1721
Then A Order Was Drawn on Mr John Ring Town
Treasurer to pay to Cap Joseph Allen the Sum of Eighteen } 0-18-0
Shilings & it being for mending the meeting house glass.

At A meeting A bout 5 Then A Order Was Drawn
on Mr John Ring Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Stephen
Somes the Sum of Eight Shilings it being for Work } 0-8-0
& Boards & nails about Ruth millers house

At a meeting of The Selectmen February the 19 1721
to the Inhabitanc and freeholders that are qualifd to Vote
in Town Affairs In and belonging to the Town of Gloucester You
are Required to meet to gether at the meeting house in S^d Gloucester
on the Easterly Side of Annasquam yeavor on Sunday the sixth
Day of march next in Suing the date here of at Eight of Clock on
S^d Day then and there to make Choise of seven Officers to Searche
the Town the yeare In Suing as the Law Directs and any other
busnis that the Town may See Cause to Dow on S^d Day

At a meeting about S^d Then a order Was drawn
on Mr John Ring Town Treasurer to pay to Mr
William Hascoll the Sum of twenty Seven Shilings
It being for Searching the town this yeare as
Select man - 7

At a meeting about S^d Then a order Was drawn
on Mr John Ring Town Treasurer to pay to Mr
Nathaniel Sargent the Sum of forty Seven Shilings It
being for Searching the town this yeare as Select man } 0-14

At a meeting about S^d Then a order Was drawn
on Mr John Ring Town Treasurer to pay to Elder
James Soward the Sum of Eighteen Shilings It
being for Searching the town this yeare as Select man } 0-18

At a meeting about S^d Then a order Was drawn on
Mr John Ring Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Thomas
Gray the Sum of twenty Shilings It being for
Searching the town this yeare as Select man } 1-00

At a meeting about S^d Then a order Was drawn
on Mr John Ring Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Nathaniel
Ellery the Sum of forty Eight Shilings & 3 It being for
Searching the town the yeare as Select man and for
Expences - } 2-18

At a meeting about S^d Then a order Was drawn on
Mr John Ring Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Epos Sargent
By the Sum of forty Shilings It being for Searching
Town of 500rs the yeare past } 2-00

At a meeting of the select men to bury May 1721/2 15
Then a order was drawn on Mr John Ring town
treasurer to pay to Mr Benjamin Bonst the sum of
three pounds nine shillings and six pence for
burying after his mother Mary Davis

At a meeting of ye select men March ye 6. 1721/2
Then a order was drawn on the Town treas-
urer to pay to Mr Nathaniel Sargent the sum of
two pounds and three shillings it being in
full for what Rd Rabb Dan for the Relief
of the poor

At a meeting of the select men March ye 13. 1721/2
Then an order was drawn on Mr James Davis town
treas- to pay four pounds fifteen shillings it be-
ing in full for burying care of the meeting house for
the yeare 1721 To Morris Smith

At a meeting of the select men March: 13. 1721 - 2
an order was drawn onto Mr James Davis town treasurer to pay
unto Mr William Davis one pound five shillings for care of his mother
and for a pair of shoes for her

At a meeting of the select men: March: 22. 1721
then reckoned with Mr John Ring town treasurer
for all accounts relating to ye Town viz: payments
unto ye ministry and all goods passed by the select
men unto this day and all bills for sundry repairs
and: and allowed to him also for his services as Treas-
urer: 1721 four pounds and all former accounts
between ye Town of Rochester and Mr John Ring and
charged: Seeing that there is and remains due unto
the Town from Mr John Ring the sum of
Sixty two: pounds fifteen shillings & nine pence
62-15-9

note if there is three orders in Mr Ring hand as
viz one to Mr Good School master - - - 12-0-0
one to Mr John Ring - - - 01-0-0
one to Ensigne William Lashall - - - 01-4-0

these being payd of former ballance remains
good viz: 62-15-9

note if ye above 3 orders and drawn and allowed
to Mr Ring but not yet come into his hand
February 22. 1722/3 then ye above three orders were answer-
ed by the above S John Ring town treas-

Mr Treasurer Davis these inform you
that we have charged you with as a measure the
sume of twenty one pounds seven shillings and four pence
it being so much in Collect^r - Thomas Riggs hand
91-7-5

and in const^r andrew Robinsons hand is fifteen
pounds five shillings & two pence - - - 15-5-2

And in const^r Joseph Haskell hand is nineteen pounds
ten shillings and seven pence - - - 19-10-7

And in Mr John Ring hand is Sixty two pounds
fifteen shilling & nine pence - - - 62-15-

Mr James Davis Treasurer you are also desired o
undred to have & receive a book at yr brother Ebu
Davis house for the Towne use

Also was deliverd unto you with this Dean
in full for Towne use of summe of twelve
pounds - and twelve shillings - - - 12-12-

At a meeting of select men
march: 22. 1722

Recd of Mr John Ring of Gloucester fifty five shilling
& eight pence upon the acct^t of Tho: Ray former Const^r
which is in full of the Rate for S^r Town of Gloucester
Hilwich: may: 24th 1722: for John Appleton County Treas^r
a true copie of original Receipt & -

at a meeting of the select men: July: 4th 1722

Reckoned with Thomas Riggs Jun^r Collect^r and allowed to
him wh he could not collect out of yr sum^e: permitted to him to
collect in yr whole sixteen pound eleven shillings & 6 pence and
allowed to him for gathering so rates five pounds nine shillings & a penny
and there remains due from him to S^r Town of sume of thirteen
pounds ten shillings: and all abatements for S^r future Confid^d &
more is to be allowed to S^r Riggs

Received by the Treas^r of Collect^r - - - 13-10-
Thomas Riggs: 13-10-0. & being in full of all rates.
permitted to him to collect.

at a meeting of the select men of Gloucester September 21. 1722
Mr James Davis Treasr. doth to the town & sum of £ - 286 = 9 = 7
and a Transcrip. of said sum transmitted to J. C. Treasr.

on the day above sd. there three pounds & nine shillings & six pence
were paid by order of the select men: a being money paid by J. Davis to the select men
toward the maintenance of Mrs. Mary Davis mother of sd. child and her journey in going & coming
by the town for her subsistence December 31. 1722

At ye meeting a boue sd in order was drawn on our town treasr
mr James Davis to pay to mr Saml. Sargent & sume of three pounds
nine shillings and six pence due for serving as select man and Reliefe of
ye poor

At ye meeting a boue sd and order was drawn on our town treasr to
pay to mr James Seward the sume of four pounds eight shillings
and a seven pence it being due to him for serving as select man
and for a Bell Rope and Reliefe of ye poor

At ye meeting a boue sd in order was drawn on our town
treasr to pay to mr Ezekel Colony the sume of four pounds
six shillings and six pence it being for service as select man
James Sence on & to wong accout

At ye meeting a boue sd then an order was drawn to
pay to Mr Thomas Boye the sume of five pounds and
sixteen shillings and two pence

At ye meeting a boue sd then an order was drawn
on our town treasr to pay to Abraham Sawyer the sume
of five pounds one shilling and three pence due to
him for serving as select men and for a poe

At ye meeting a boue sd an order was drawn on our
town treasr to pay to mr Davis with ye sume
of one pound one shilling & it being in pable for
Ringin ye Bell for ye year 1722

At a meeting of ye select men octo ber ye 31. 1722
then an order was drawn on our town treasr
to pay to mr Davis the sume of ~~five pounds~~
shillings and eleven pence it being in full for ye
~~money he paid to the select men~~

at a meeting of the select men: October 19th. 1722. an order
was granted. unto mr Joseph Allen for ten shillings to be allow
unto him by the select men: and it should be allow into J. C. Treasr
in making up his account

at the meeting above sd. an order was passd for J. Contests allow
into mr James Sargent & mr Davis for a day of serving select men
and three pence each: and it should be allow into J. C. Treasr
at making up his account: note in Nathaniel Sargent's account

at the above meeting an order was passd to the treasr
to pay unto mr John White one pound for the sume of
one hundred pound being in full of an order last fall of
the year 1722

october 19th 1722. order was granted to ^{Griffin} Constable
to allow unto Mr. Benja. Pericure a sum of eleven shillings
3 pence on acct of his loop; and it shall be allowed unto ^{Griffin} Constable
at making up of his account

at y^e meeting above ^{Griffin} order was granted to ^{Griffin} Constable to allow
unto Mr. Isaac. Quessitt three shillings and it shall be allowed
unto you at y^e making up your account

at a meeting of the select men November 1th 1722
then a ^{Griffin} order was drawn by Mr. Nathaniel Sargent Constable
Thomas Sargent Rates in the whole amounting in y^e
Rates to y^e sume of eleven shillings and six pence
to be allowed to ^{Griffin} Constable in making up with y^e
select men in ^{Griffin} it being a mistake he being Rubed in both
Constables lists

At the meeting above a ^{Griffin} order was Drawn on
our town treasuer ^{Griffin} to pay to Mr. William
of Good it being in full for his keeping scot for y^e
year 1722 being fifteen pounds fifteen shillings

At a meeting of the select men November 20th 1722
then a warrant was posted upon the meeting house
Dore to call the Commisioner to an account for
the 6-100 pound and y^e in bress and any
other by his may be thought to be done on
So Day and y^e meeting to be the first day December 1722

at y^e meeting above ^{Griffin} order was
drawn on our Town Treas. to pay to Mr.
Thomas Millit the sume of seven pounds
two shilling and nine pence for the select
mens expence

at a meeting of the select men November 26th 1722
allowed to Thomas Riggs Sen. 6-0-0 shillings his rate being
six shillings wrong cast; and must be allowed to ^{Griffin} Constable
at making up his account with the select men

at the meeting above ^{Griffin} order was drawn unto Mr. Treasuer
David. that he pay unto Mr. Thomas Riggs Jun. the sume of
eighteen shillings & nine pence: it being so much money
which he could not collect of Daniel Gilbert of Wrentham 18-9
note at y^e above meeting ordered that the select men allow to
Mr. Treasuer David. 0-11-9 pence more w^{ch} select men rig could
not get

at the above meeting an order was drawn on Mr.
Treasuer David to pay unto Mr. Andrew Riggs Constable of
Wrentham eight shillings and nine pence being money
owed to him for collect of Daniel Gilbert of
Wrentham: which he could not collect 0-18-9

at a meeting of the select men November 6. 1722
 then agreed with Mr Edmund March to keep a school
 for some children to Read wright and cipher and teach agrame
 school from November the sixth in 1722 to November 6
 in the yeare 1723 and so Mr March is to Recive for
 his pains and care there in the sume of forty five pound
 and so March is to keep the school at any place where
 the select men shall order
 Edmund March

December 30. 1722: an order was drawn on the treasur^r to pay to n^rll
 elerie ~~the~~ shillings 9 pence being y^e ballance of his account bearing date
 April. 25. 1721 amounting to 34. 19. 6. three pound being paid by y^e select
 men by the rates of a coover ^{in 1721} being 0-11-3 amounting to 3. 19. 6

at a meeting of the select men Decem^r 30. 1722 --
 an order was drawn on o^r Treasur^r to pay unto Mr Thomas
 Gray to pay unto him ten pound eight shillings & ten pence
 It being in full for his care and charge for maintaining & order
 gooding and her daughter Elizer and all her men or past or
 relating to d^r goodings & her obit di charged: viz. funeral charge
 and all o^r to this day

at a meeting of the select men Dec^r 17. 1722
 Mr James Davis Treasur^r of the town by bills
 as follows. It is a bill of Joseph Jones - - - 1-00-0
 It is a bill of John Browning - - - 2-10-0
 It is a bill of Thomas Pench - - - 2-10-0
 It is a bill of Henry Lupton - - - 2-00-0
 It is a bill of Thomas Gray - - - 4-00-0
 It is a bill of James Gardner - - - 2-18-0

December 14th 1722 order was granted unto Con^r John Fitch to take
 unto John Hazardon sum the sume seven shillings & six pence and y^e
 shall be allowed unto Jo Con^r at making app^r of it.

at a meeting of the select men January 9th 1722
 agreed with Mr John Day Jun^r to take care of wth poor wth
 for one year: consisting from this day: and to provide for the
 convenient making of m^r wth & dogging during the time
 of one year: as above sd. and if the sume of 20 p^rsones
 a day is to leave him clothed as farrow y^e one pair of m^r good
 & flaps: one warme shift two caps: one gre^r cloth: and y^e provision
 of his care as be able: the sd day shall be paid by the town
 the sume of fourteen pounds one half p^rson with the other
 half at y^e end of the year: witness my hand: also it is ordered
 and allowed to pay twelve shillings for the sd day & for the
 also a blanket of about twelve shillings
 1722

ing of the select men January
ye 9 11/22 3 the select men of more
Rabe to Constable surgeon 3 6

At a meeting of the select men february ye 8: 1722/3
who are as the burial place a going to Nathaniell Sawyers
ground and so complaining to the select men to find or pay for
one half of the fence we the select men have on the day and have
have at a good with so Sawyer to deliver to the town use the
full light of the fence good and sufficient fence according to law
and so far as the first part of which is yet in giving the Rabe here
and so Sawyer is to leave for the one half of the fence
five shillings per Rod, as paid as witness and hands

Nathaniell Sawyer } select
James sayward } men
Abraham Sawyer
Thomas Bray

At a meeting of the select men february ye 8: 1722/3
then an order was granted to Nathaniell Sawyer
on our Town Over to pay to so Sawyer the sume
of forty five shillings in full for the fence above
expressed in the agreement

At a meeting of the select men february ye 19: 1722/3
the order was drawn on our Town Over
to pay to Capt Joseph Allen the sume of fifty four
shillings it being in full for making and mending of meeting
house place in ye yeare 1722

at ye meeting a boue then an order was drawn
on over Davis to pay to Sgt Epps Surgeon twenty
shillings it being in full for swearing town officers
in the yer 1722

at a meeting of ye select men
february: 19th 1722. reckoned with Constable Saml E Griffin
and abatements allowed to him are as followeth viz
by Constable Saml E Griffin - - - - - 0-11-3
by Thomas Riggs - - - - - 0-06-0
by Joseph Allen - - - - - 0-10-0
by John Haradon Junr - - - - - 0-07-6
by John Haradon Junr - - - - - 0-11-9
by Capt Jno Haradon - - - - - 0-03-0
by Capt Jno Haradon - - - - - 0-07-6
by Lawrence Harding - - - - - 0-04-3
by Mr John King for his son Donatton - - - - - 0-3-0
by Constable Saml E Griffin for warming of town officers - - - - - 3-1-9
and there is yet remaining due in Constable Griffin hand 0-2-0
the sume of eighty two shillings and 11 pence
five pence

February 19th 1722 being a meeting of the Select men - 21
 reckoned with Constable nathl Sargant and abatements allowed to
 him are by Thomas Sargant - - - - - 0-0-6
 by David Jiggell - - - - - 0-11-3
 by Mr. Daniel Stevens Junr - - - - - 0-11-3
 by nichel wether - - - - - 0-03-3
 by David Stockwell - - - - - 0-08-6
 by Lemuel Doye Junr of town - - - - - 0-06-0
 and there remains due to the town
 The sum of one hundred & twenty seven pounds seven Shilling and
 six pence - - - - - 117-07-6

at a meeting of the select men february 19. 1722
 reckoned with the Constable Henry Hasell and abatements allowed to
 him are by otho. Stevens and other things - - - - - 1-0-0
 by John boils - - - - - 0-1-0
 by Mr. Isaac Guesitt - - - - - 0-1-0
 by James done for the town - - - - - 0-8-6
 and there remains due to the town from J Hasell - - - - -
 The sum of thirty two pounds five Shillings and
 two pence - - - - - 32-5-2

at a meeting above sd then an order was drawn
 on our town bre to pay to Mr. Heron Riggs five
 Shillings for work done by a meetin house - - - - -
 at the meeting above sd then an order was drawn on
 our town to pay to Mr. Saml. Stevens the sum of
 two pounds seven Shillings and six pence it being a full
 for what he had done for Rubt miller

February 22nd 1722 order was given to John Hay for seven
 pounds being in part toward mending windows going this year - - - - -
 1722

at the meeting of the select men above sd reckoned with
 Constable and otho Robinson and abatements allowed to him are
 by Johna Groune - - - - - 0-12-6
 by Thomas andros - - - - - 0-2-6
 by nathl Bray Junr - - - - - 0-2-6
 by wllm capd Junr - - - - - 0-3-9
 by mch. Juren - - - - - 0-5-6
 by John Davis - - - - - 0-3-0
 by Tho. Gilmore - - - - - 0-2-0
 by Jno. Hallat - - - - - 0-2-6
 by Constantine Jephin - - - - - 0-2-6
 by Thomas Millet - - - - - 0-2-6
 by John weston - - - - - 0-2-9
 by Saml. Sargant Junr - - - - - 0-2-6
 by Ebenezer Roberts Turn over - - - - - 0-3-0

and on 5th of march an order was given to the Magistrate to receive
of our Town Treasur^r 9th Sum: of Eight Shillings 23

march: 5th. 1722 an order was drawn on our Treasur^r to
pay to m^r. Thomas millet 9th Sum: of five Shillings 6 pence 23-6

Glocester: march: 6: 1722/3 Then proportioned the high
ways among the several Surveyors of Highways which
were chosen for the year: 1723
Joseph hascall the third his proportion included all
the high ways in the preceinct so far to the Southward as
Little River. and a warrant was given to him for the same

John millet his proportion of high ways to amend and repair
beginning at little river. Including the way that leads from little
River to Cittle core and the way that leads from manchester.
beginning at manchester line so far as John persons including
ing. D. persons and the way that leads from D. persons
thruo^g fresh water core and all people within D. limits were
to attend his orders as the Law directs and a warrant was
given him for the same

John Sargent his proportion beginning at the house that
was formerly Jacob Dancers and to the gutt and from the gutt
thruo^g the har-bor. so far as hows hill on the hill by the house that
was formerly Hugh Kers Deceest and ~~the~~ the way that lead from
said hill till you come to the har-bour bridge so called including
D. bridge and from D. bridge to the gutt and the way that leads from
D. har-bour bridge to the widon^r prince, and a warrant was given
for the same

Nathaniel Sayer his proportion in from the har-bour bridge
to the meeting house and from the meeting house as the way go
eth to Sordy bay so far as the long bridge above mentioned and
from the meeting house all the high ways on the Neck so called and
between ansqum River and the Sarmill River so called and
he had a warrant given him for the same

Nathaniel wharfe his proportion of high ways to amend
beginning at the head of lobster core so called and all high
ways between said core and John Benet mill including a
bridge by the same and all high ways on the Eastern side of
the Sarmill River and so far to the Eastward as Samuel Smallbrow
house and his proportion and a warrant was given him for the same

James Lane his proportion of high ways to amend beginning
at the head of lobster core so called including a bridge at the head
of the same and so all high ways at ansqum and to the northern
part of the cape from Squire until you come into our poolers
house and a warrant was given him for the same

John pool his proportion of high ways to amend beginning at Thomas
withams and as the way leadeth to our poolers house and from D. poolers
house as the way leadeth round the Cape until you come into
Storknaught har-bour so called and a warrant was given him for the same

Glocester March: 6: 1722/3
 Elder Sward his porpotion of his ways to a mead
 begining at Stanknaught harbour so called Includ
 ing a Bridge at the same and all high ways from
 said bridge untill you come to the hill near the house
 of Hugh Rowe late of Glocester Deceest and all high
 ways on Eastern point so called which makes his porpotion
 and a warrant was given him for the same

Glocester March: 5: 1722/3 Then Mr Jonathon Stanwood
 Senor being chase for to serve as a Constable for the
 yeare in serving and Refusing to take the oath he
 paid five pound which five pound was delivered to
 James Davis Town Treasurer for the use of the poor
 as the Law Directs

March: 6: th. 1722/3 at a meeting of the select
 men an order was Given on Mr James Davis
 Town Treasurer for the pay ment of three
 pound and fourteen Shilling out of the Town } 14
 Treasure unto Mr Morier Smith it being in
 full for his Ringing of the Bell and Sweeping of
 the meeting house and taking care thereof an
 the yeare: 1722

at the meeting a howe said Then porportioned to
 each of the hogkes Limmits or precincts
 m^r Isaac Euelah his porpotion Extends so far as the
 precinct bounds
 m^r John Pooley his porpotion Extends from m^r John
 pooley northerly and the Northern point of the cape
 untill you come to m^r John Kings mill
 John Babson his porpotion Extends from m^r John prince
 and m^r Dunhams unto the gutt and one the westerly side
 of the gutt including all to the Eastward of the precinct
 line
 m^r John allen his porpotion Extends from m^r Jun
 hams to the northward untill you come to philippe
 Stanwoods point and so far Eastward as Samuel Smallmons

m^r Daniel Smith his porpotion Extends from m^r Jun
 hams and m^r John prince Easterly through the hor
 bowe Eastern point and all on the Easterly side of the
 Cape untill you come to m^r John pooley

at the meeting above said an order was Given
 on Mr James Davis Town Treasurer for the pay
 ment of Twenty one pound and Eight Shilling out
 of the Town Treasurer unto Mr Samuel Steury
 it being for serving 104 days at the general Court
 as Representing hole that nine of the above
 number of days were allowed him for his meetings

Glocester march 18: 1722 at a meeting of the select men
then an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer for the 24
payment of four pounds and six shillings unto Mr. Abraham
Jayer for the use of the precinct it being their proportion
of what money was disbursed on the meeting house, and bury
ing place and ringing the bell. 1721: 1722: - - - - 4-6-0

Glocester march 18th 1722/3 at a meeting of the select men then an
order was drawn on the Town Treasurer for the payment of three pounds
unto Mr. Thomas Alton Constable to provide such waits and meapins as are
wanting for the tithes year - - - - 3-0-0

At a meeting of the select men march 18th 1722/3
then there was a notification and warning given for to warn
all freeholders and other inhabitants in the Town of Glocester -
qualified for voting in Town affairs to assemble and meet to
gather ^{on upon the third day} at the meeting house at the Easterly side of Annagquam
river for reasons following - first to choose another constable -
and in any other business that may be thought convenient
to be done on the third of April next as aforesaid

April the 15th 1723 then an order was drawn on the Town
Treasurer to pay to Thomas Millit thirty two shillings
and six pence 1-12-6 it being for expences of the select men
from the 5th day of march last past to this day and also
expence when the Town officers were sworn in march
last past

at a meeting of the select men of Glocester in April the 15th 1723
then there was a notification put up on the meeting house door
on the Easterly side of Annagquam river then and there to wit
and require all freeholders and other inhabitants ^{of the town of Glocester} qualified
according to law for voting to chuse a Representative
to serve and Represent the Town of Glocester in the Great
and general court or assembly to be held and kept at the
court House at Boston the the twentieth ninth day of May
next ensuing the Date hereof

May the first 1723 then delivered to Lt. James Davis ~~for~~ ^{for} paid
Town Treasurer six pounds which money was received of
Caleb Bernard the same day on y^e account of his betind-
ment of his rates

25 At a meeting of the select men June: 4th 1723

Then a warrant was directed to Mr. Thomas Allen one of the Constables of Gloucester for this year to warn a special Just to depart this Town and Return to the place of his last abode - -

At the meeting above said a warrant was directed to the Constable above said to warn said John Shouter forthwith to depart this Town and Return to the place of his last abode - -

At the meeting above said then a warrant was directed to the Constable above said to warn a Jaggel some the wife or widow of Jacob Jaggel some forthwith to depart this Town and Return to the place of her last abode - -

At the meeting above said an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer for the payment of seven pounds unto Mr. March it being in port for his keepings &c. this present year - - - - - 11-0

June the 21: 1723 then Mr. John Stacy was Approbated for an Inholder on conditions he is to sell no malt Drink on the Sabbath Days - - - - -

At a meeting of the select men July: 2: 1723

Then accounted with Mr. Henry Boscall one of the Constables of Gloucester for the year: 1722 for two Lists of Rates committed to him to collect namely a province tax amounting to: 29:00:09: and a Town Rate amounting to the sum of 29:09:09: and said Constable had made payment unto Mr. Jeremiah Allen province Treasurer the sum of 8:08:07: and there was allowed unto said Constable for collecting said Lists and money that continued to be collected 3:19:00: and an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer for the same the Remainder he was to pay in: to the Town Treasurer according to his warrant which is 48:11: at the same time allowed to him for services on which is included in said order on the Treasurer

At the meeting above said then accounted with Mr. Samuel Griffin one of the Constables of Gloucester for the year: 1722 for three Lists of Rates committed to him to collect namely a province Tax Town Rate and minor Rate amounting in the whole to the sum of 130:11: and said Constable had made payment unto Mr. Jeremiah Allen our province Treasurer all of the province Tax as by his receipt the sum of 27:09:05: and said Constable was asked for what could not be gathered and allowed for gathering said Rates and for other services on the for the Town: 7:6:3 and an order was drawn on the Treasurer to pay or allow the same out of what money said Constable was ordered to pay in to him self which was 103:8:5 - - - - -

At the meeting above said a notification was write to some a Town meeting to grant a Town Rate for this year and to Confirme some high ways

at a meeting of the Select men July: 15: 1723. 26
Then agreed with William Hascall Turner for a bout
one quarter of an acre of land of his which was laid out
in a highway leading from the precinct meeting house
to Dallen Joseph Hascall and said Hascall was to have
one pound and teen shillings for said land and an
order was drawn on the Town Treasurer for the pay
ment of the same - - - - - £ = 10 = 00

August: 28: 1723: At a meeting of the Select men
Then Received of Mr Nathaniel Sargent one of the constables
of Gloucester for the yeare: 1722 a Receipt from the precinct
Treasurer for that part of the precinct Tax which he was
ordered to pay into the precinct Treasury which is
which Receipt Bore Date August 22: 1723 - - - - - 38 = 6 = 09

at the meeting a bove said an order was drawn on
the Town Treasurer for the payment of three pounds
and teen shillings out of the Town Treasury unto Mr
Samuell Stevens at being for his extraordinary expence
when the general corte sat at Cambridge which was
used him at a general Town meeting march: 3:
1723 } 3 = 10 = 00

At a meeting of the select men August: 29: 1723
Then Ballenged and accounted with Mr Nathaniel
Sargent one of the constables of Gloucester for the year: 1722
for three lists of Rates committed to him to collect namely
a precinct Tax - - - - - £ 2 = 2 = 6
a Town Rate - - - - - £ 2 = 2 = 6
a ministers Rate - - - - - £ 4 = 12 = 0
amounting in the whole to the sum of the - - - - - £ 8 = 14 = 0
and there was abated out of said lists that could not be
collected and allowed for gathering said Rates and
for services for the Town including all former
abatement - - - - - £ 16 = 14 = 0
and there was an order drawn on the Town Treasurer
to allow the same to said Constable in his making up
his account with the Treasurer - - - - - 38 = 6 = 09
precinct Tax - - - - -

at a meeting of select men September: 9: 1723 according to
to the late act we have nominated 14 persons for culors of
fish and have sent a list of there names to mberye (set to
be holden September 1723

August the twentieth 1723 then there was three Lists of assignments made for the Provenca Tax and also three Lists for the Town Rate Viz: a List of the Provenca ^{tax with a warrant} amounting to $46 = 00 = 10$ delivered to constable Tho^s Allen to collect and he is to collect the same and pay into the Provenca treasurer the sum of $30 - 4 - 9$ as he will receive warrant from J^r Treasurer and the overplush which is $15 - 16 - 1$ said Allen is to pay in to m^r James Davis Town Treasurer by the twentieth Day of Septem^r next. As also ^{with a warrant} a Town Rate committed to said Allen amounting to the sum of $51 = 15 = 9$ which sum said Allen is to pay in to the Town Treasurer by the twentieth Day of Septem^r next; and there is also a List of a Minsters Rate made the 3^d of Septem^r 1723 amounting to the sum of $63 = 11 = 6$ which List with ^{also} a warrant was committed to constable Tho^s Allen to collect and he is to pay in to the Town Treas^r the said sum by the Last of October next.

There is also two Lists of assignments namely Provenca^s Town made y^e 29th of August a^d committed to constable George Harvey to collect. Viz: a List of a Provenca tax amounting to $37 = 14 = 10$ which sum he is to collect; and to pay to the Provenca Treasurer ^{as he will receive warrant from J^r Treasurer} the sum of $24 = 10 = 10$ and the overplush which is $13 - 14 - 10$ said Harvey is to pay in to the Town Treasurer by the twentieth Day of Septem^r next. As also a Town Rate committed to said Harvey to collect and he is to pay it in to the Town Treasurer by the twentieth Day of Septem^r next the same amounting to $41 = 18 = 0$ and there is also a List of a Miners Rate made y^e 3^d of Septem^r 1723 amounting to $51 = 14 = 8$ and committed to const^r George Harvey ^{with a warrant} to collect and he is to pay in the same to the Town Treasurer by the Last of October next.

And there also 2 Lists of assignments made the 29th of August as aforesaid and committed to constable Timothy Day jun^r to collect namely a Provenca Tax amounting to $25 = 11 = 3$ and to const^r Day to the Provenca Treasurer the sum of $18 = 0 = 0$ as he shall receive warrant from J^r Treasurer and the overplush which is $7 - 09 - 3$ and constable to pay in to the Town Treasurer by the twentieth Day of Septem^r next as also a Town Rate amounting to $27 - 19 - 9$ which sum said constable Day is to pay in to the Town Treasurer by the twentieth Day of Septem^r next.

added by mr John Sargeants List Eleven persons amounting to $4 - 14 - 5$

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We whose Names are subscribed
Justices of the Peace for the County of
Shropshire do Consent to the putting
forth the within named Edward Inverall of
Apprentice according to the intent and
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21 *Indenture, Witnesseth.*

Mr. Thomas Witham, Mr. Ebenezer Davis, Mr. James
and Mr. John Roberts, being the Major Part, of the
Men, of Gloucester in the County of Essex, in the
Province, of the Massachusetts Bay, in New England
put, and by these Presents do voluntarily, and of
Own free Will and Accord and with the Consent of
Esqrs and Esqrs Sargent Esquires. Two of the Majesties
of the Peace, put, bind Edward Quidveak, Apprentice A
To Ebenezer Parsons Tanner & Lydia his wife and their He
to learn, him y^e Art, Trade, or Mystery, of a Tanner, he
Edward Quidveak, to Serve after the Manner of an Appo
from the Day of the Date of these Presents, for and during
Term of Fourteen Years Seven Months & Twenty Seven
to be compleat & ended, During all which Term, the sd Appo
his sd Master & Mistress, Faithfully shall Serve, their Secrets &
Lawfull Commands Gladly every where Obeys; he shall do no Dan
his sd Master & Mistress; nor see it to be done by others without lett
giving Notice thereof to them, he shall not waste their Goods, nor
them Unlawfully to any, he shall not commit Fornication, nor
Matrimony within sd Term: at Cards, Dice, or any other Unlaw
Game, he shall not Play, whereby he his sd Master may have Dan
with his own goods or the goods of Others: he shall not absent him
by Day or by Night from his sd Masters Service, without their Leave
haunt Ale-houses, Taverns, or play Houses, but in all Things behave
himself as a faithfull Apprentice, ought to do towards his sd Ma
Mistress, during the sd term. and the sd Ebenezer Parsons for him
his heirs do hereby Covenant & Promise, to teach and Instruct or
the sd Apprentice to be taught & Instructed in the Art, Trade, or
calling of a Tanner, by the best Means he or they may or can ap
Teach him to write and Cypher (If the sd Apprentice be capable to learn
Finding unto sd Apprentice, good Sufficient Meat, Drink, Apparel
Washing & Lodging, in Sickness & in Health & during the sd Term
and at the Expiration thereof to give unto the sd Apprentice Two or
Suits of Apparel, for all Parts of the Body; both of Wollen & Linen
suitable for such an Apprentice. In Testimony whereof the Par
to these Presents have hereunto Interchangably set their Hands and seals
Twenty Eighth Day of February in the Fifth Year of the Reign of our
Sovereign Lord George the Second by the Grace of God King of Great Brit
Anneque Domini One Thousand Hundred & Thirty one two.

Signed Sealed

Ebenezer Davis

in Presence of

John Bray
Ezekiel Day

And Indenture made the twentieth Day of October one thousand
 seven hundred and twenty three Witnesseth that the secret men of
 Gloucester in the county of Essex in New England hath Putt; and by these
 presents do freely absolutely and voluntarily Putt Ann Elwell of
 said Gloucester Daughter of Ebenezer, Jane Elwell of the same
 Town and county before said deceased Apprentice unto Ebenezer Tarbores
 and Sarah his Wife to live with them after the manner of an Appren-
 tice to serve them from the Day of the Date hereof untill she the said
 Apprentice shall com or arrive to the age of Eighteen Years or time of mar-
 riage During all which time the said Apprentice her said master and mis-
 tress faithfully shall serve, their secrets keep, their Lawfull commands glad-
 ly every where obey, shee shall do no Damage to her said master or
 mistress nor see it to be done by others without Liking or giving notice thereto
 to her said master or mistress; shee shall not wast her said master or mis-
 tress goods nor lend them unlawfully to any; shee shall not commit for-
 nication withen the said Term; At cards, Dice, or any other unlawfull
 game shee shall not play where by her said master or mistress may be
 Damaged; shee shall not absent her self Day nor Night from her said
 master or mistress service without their leave nor haunt Ale houses
 Taverns or Play houses; But in all things behave her self as a faith-
 full apprentice ought to do during Term. And the said master and mis-
 tress shall use the best of their endeavor to teach the said Ann Elwell
 their Apprentice to Read the English Tongue well, and shall teach or cause
 to be taught their said Apprentice to Card and Spin and also use
 a Needle to doe well, and shall provide for her sufficient meet, Drink
 Apparrell, washing, and Lodging, and all things convenient for her
 both in sickness & health during said Term. And at the end and expira-
 tion of the said Term of time the said master and mistress or their heirs
 shall deliver or cause to be delivered to the said Ann Elwell if she
 be alive two good suits of Apparrell the one suitable for Lords Days
 and the other suitable for working Days and fitting for all parts of her
 Body; In Witness whereof said sett men on the one part and the
 said Ebenezer Tarbores on the other part have interchanged by-
 gott to their hands and seals; Note y^e Apprentice is bound to them their
 heirs and Executors but no others

Signed sealed and delivered
 in the presents of

Edmund March
 Jeremiah Parsons

Ebenezer Tarbores

Sarah

Sarah Tarbores

Gloster october 29: 1723 at a meeting of select men Then an order was Drawn on the select men the Town Treasurer for the pay ment of two pounds unto Docter. Tomson it being for what he did for David Downing Deceit

At y^e meeting a Bayaid their way an order Drawn on the Town Treasur^r - to Pay to m^r Edmund March the sum of Eleven Pounds it being for part of his wages for keep- ing School y^e year 1723.

Gloster novem^r 11 1723 Then an order was Drawn on the Town Treasur^r for y^e payment of Twelve pounds to m^r Edmund March which is in full for his keeping School in Gloster from y^e first of Novem^r in y^e year 1722 to y^e first of novem^r in y^e year 1723

Novem^r 11: 1723 Then an order was Drawn on y^e Town Treasur^r to pay to m^r Maurice Smith y^e sum of Forty Shillings which is in part for Ringing y^e Bell and precep^ting y^e meeting House the year 1723

Novem^r the 11: 1723 Tho^s Allen cred^t for sum abatements taken out of his listy: at this times and other times

first for a vigil of G ^r Carey Pro: 2-6 Town 2-6 min ³ -1	total 8-1
for a vigil y ^t J ^r Babbon went in which was taken out of his listy Pro: 2-6 Town 2-6 min ³ -1	total 8-1
and taken out from G ^r J ^r Ingersoll, head pro 2-6 Town 2-6 min ³ -1	total 8-6
to a head of David Ingersoll and from his estate	9-0
a Battel to Benjamin Elwell for Kale Estate	3-3
abated to John prime June his minister take	3-0
to nicklaus Dening	5-0
to William Elwell	1-8
to Francis Andrews	5-0

novem^r 11 Th^s Allen constable debtor for y^e Rates added to his listy

1) Greely Pro: 2: Town 2-6 min ³ -1	total 7-6
3 William Davis ju ^r added pro: 3-4 Town 3-10 min ⁴ -8	total 11-10
Eleazar Steevens added pro: 4: Town 5: min ⁸ -8	total 11-0
Francis James	1-0
Richard Tandy	7-6

37 Novem^r 14 1723 Added to Tim^l Days^l Lists - ^{Constable}
Jⁿ Coolyer and Francis Bligh Bro-enueas Town - - -

Taken out of con^l Tim^l Days^l Lists
Tho^s Braynⁿ pro^o Town 3-6 Benj^m Hag^t Rollins
(0-2

Added to con^l George Harveys Lists Jos^h Thuytin
and taken out of 30 Lists James Trigg - - - -

At a meeting of the Select men and Constables in
1724 John Phillinson Worner Jun was Chosen Sealer of
Weights and measures for this Town: untill another is Chosen
and swore in the same

3-9

At a meeting of the select November 21: 1723
Then an order was Drawn on the Town Treasurer for the 38.
payment of fifteen shillings out of the Town Treasure
unto Ezekiel Day Jener for Joshua Giddings his Rates
in the year 1714 he being lost at Sea and his Rates
could not be collected

At a meeting of the select men Decem^r. 19: 1723
An order was given to m^r John Stacy to receive of y^e
Town Treasurer the sum of four pounds it being
in part for y^e select mens expences for y^e year 1723

at the meeting above a warrant was directed to m^r Thomas
Allen one of the Constables for this present yeare to w^orn
the widow Mary Stockbrig and her Children forth with
to depart this Town

At a meeting of the Select men January 8: 1723/4
Then an order was Drawn on the Town Treasurer for the payment
of nineteen pounds out of the Town Treasure unto Eldor James
Saywood it being in part for his Serving at the General Court
as Representative 1723

At the meeting above said Above was an order Drawn
on the Town Treasurer for the payment of twelve
pounds twelve shillings & six pence to E^l James
Saywood out of y^e Town Treasury which is in full for
his Servis from at General Court to this Day in y^e year 1723

At the meeting above said an order was Drawn on the
Town Treasurer for the payment of two pound twelve
shillings & 6 it being for making and mending place
for the meeting house Schoolhouse and Ruth millers house
in the year 1723

At the meeting above said An order was Drawn on the
Town Treasurer for the payment of Seven Shilling, & 8
unto Isaac Sayler it being for Thomas Pops Rates in the
year 1720: who paid his Rates the same yeare as Chebal

At a meeting of the select men January^y 15th
 There was an agreement made with m^r John Day
 to keep the widow Goodin for her Life time viz: He
 Day is to keep the said widow Goodin in sickness and he
 and provide for her sufficient and suitable meet Drink
 Apparel washing and Lodging ^{and burndance} during her life time
 and to Bury her decently after her decease and y^e said
 John Day is to receive of the Town for his care &
 cost the sum of twenty pounds per year for y^e time
 she surviveth ^{or liveth} and after the same rate for any odd
 time as months and weeks. And y^e Day is to receive half
 year pay at every half years end
 it is to be required of y^e Day is to be at the cost of Burying
 the said widow Goodin

Witness: The Widow Goodin a true John Day
 George Winge mentioned deceased on February 4 1724

Joseph Sargeant

At the meeting aforesaid an order was Drawn on the Town Treasurer
 for the payment of seven pounds unto John Day June it being in full
 for his taking care of the widow Goodin and providing for her
 untill this instant

at the same time an order was Drawn on the Treasurer for
 the payment of seven pounds ~~unto John Day~~ ~~unto John Day~~ ~~unto John Day~~
 unto Abraham Sawyer it being for Searis Done for the Town and for
 the Relief of the poor

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at the time aforesaid an order was Drawn on the Town
 Treasurer for the payment of six pounds eight ~~shill~~
 shillings & 8 pence unto William Hecall Junior it being for Searis
 Done for the Town and for the Relief of the poor

6-8

at the time aforesaid an order was Drawn on the
 Town Treasurer for the payment of seven pounds seven
 shillings unto John Benet it being for Searis Done
 for the Town and for the Relief of the poor

7-10

at the time aforesaid an order was Drawn on the Town
 Treasurer for the payment of six pounds & seventeen shillings
 unto Thomas Witham it being for Searis Done for the
 Town and for the Relief of the poor

6-17

at the meeting aforesaid an order was Drawn on
 the Town Treasurer for the payment of seven pounds
 shillings & 2 pence unto Eberleres Davis it being for the
 payment Searis Done for the Town and for the
 Relief of the poor

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At a meeting of the select men January 15th 1723/4 40
Then an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer
for the payment of one hundred pounds unto the
Reverend Mr John White it being for his Salary
for the year 1723

At a meeting of the select men February 13th 1723 ±
An order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to
m^r Ezekiel Day one Pound five Shillings out of the Town
Treasury; it being for money and time Expended at
Court about the way through L^{ieut} James Davis his Land
and granted to W^{illiam} Day at a gen^l Town meeting march
the 1. 1724 1/5 The former order not being paid

Glocester Decem^r the 17th 1723 Then agreed with
m^r Isaac Abbat of Andover to keep a grammar
School for a quarter of a year in the Town of
Glocester; And to keep it at m^r Benj^a Haskels
and the said m^r Abbat to receive for his pains
of the Town; the sum of Eleven Pounds five shill-
ings

Isaac Abbott.

Thomas Witham
John Bennet
William Heskell
select men

At a meeting of the select men February 28th 1723⁴
allowed to m^r James Davis Treasurer the sum of
seven pounds fifteen Shillings it being for buying a
Burying Cloth for this Parrysh viz old Parrysh 7-15

At the meeting above said it was allowed to m^r James Davis --
Town Treasurer twelve pounds it being for two years
Davis last payt £12-0-0

4th At a meeting of the selectmen February 28th 1721
then an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to
deliver to m^r William Haskell ju^r the sum of
fourteen Pounds twelve Shillings and 2 ¹/₂ which
Haskell was to deliver to the County Treasurer it
being our part of y^e County rate for y^e year 1723

At a Meeting above s^d an order was drawn on the Town
Treasurer to pay to Eps^r Jerjeant 8^s the sum of one
pound eleven Shillings it being for swearing officer and
other Jarvis don for the Town in the year past -- 172

at the meeting above said an order was drawn
on the Town Treasurer to pay to William Haskell
nine thirteen Shillings out of the Town Treasury
it being for Jarvis don for the Town as select men
and a pair of Shugs for Ruth miller - - - - 13-0

at the meeting above an order was drawn on the
Town Treasurer to pay to Abraham Sawyer eight
Shillings and 9 out of the Town Treasury it being
for things left of m^r Ezekiah for the Release of David
Tommying Lecest - - - - - 8-

at the meeting above said an order was drawn on
the Town Treasurer for the payment of twenty
nine Shillings and four pence unto John Bennet
it being for Jarvis Don for the Town as a select
man and for the Relief of the poor - - - - 1-9-

at the meeting above said an order was drawn
on the Town Treasurer for the payment of eighteen
Shillings and 9 out of the Town Treasury it being
for the poor and labor done by Benjamin Bigdel
for the Town which was 18-6

at the meeting above said an order was drawn on
the Town Treasurer to pay to E^{ld}r James Parson
Town Cler^k ^{fourteen shillings} it being for recording Highways and
other Jarvis don for y^e Town - - - - 0-18-6

at the meeting above an order was drawn on the town treasurer to
pay m^r John Stacy the sum of five pounds five shillings it being for the
select men & y^ence in the year 1723 - - - - 6-5-

At a meeting of the select men February 28th 1723⁴
 it was then considered the state of the Treasury and
 found thus far two years past - - - - -
 Ordered into the Treasury - - - - - £ 775-8-9
 ordered out of the Treasury - - - - - 630-4-1 $\frac{1}{2}$
 standing out in favour of the Town not drawn 145-4-7 $\frac{1}{2}$
 paid into the Treasury - - - - - 540-17-9
 Paid out by the Treasurer - - - - - 541-15-1 $\frac{1}{2}$
 in the Treasury not paid out - - - - - 4-19-7 $\frac{1}{2}$
 ordered out of the Treasury more then paid in 83-09-4 $\frac{1}{2}$
 standing out of the Treasury not paid in 228-14-0

Glocester February the 29th 1723⁴ an order was drawn on the
 Town Treasurer to pay to Tho^s Riggs collector ^{seven} shillings & 8 it being for John Wyman, & Tho^s Gillemore
 Rates which could not be gathered - - - - - 0-7-6
 note this order is to any place & to page 5.

At a meeting of the select men March 17th 1723⁴
 then there was an agreement made with m^r Isaac Abbott
 of Andover to keep a grammar school in Glocester and also
 teach children to Read, write, and Arithmetick, for three
 quarters of a year and begin the time the twentieth Day of this
 Instant, and the said m^r Abbott is to receive for his wages the
 sum of thirty three pounds and fifteen shillings of the Town
 and to keep the school where the select men see cause - - - - -

Isaac Abbott

Thomas Witham } select
 John Bennet } men
 & Thomas Bray
 Ebenezer Parsons
 Daniel Ring

43 At a meeting of the select men March the 6th 1723
the High ways was propotioned in Gloucester this is -
m^r Gaber Bakers propotion viz. from Jⁿ Lane Jun^r
round the cape, to Little-geed-harbar and a long by Tho^s
Withams over to m^r Jⁿ Pools, and from the way ^{that way} from m^r
Withams to m^r Pools to Jⁿ Bennets - - - - -

m^r James Jagers Propotion is from the cutt to Eastern Point
go to Little-geed-harbar and from th^e way by Tho^s Janders
to m^r Withams and from the Harbar to the meeting House

m^r Thomas Riggs propotion is from Jⁿ Lany Jun^r to m^r
Wharf go to m^r Ringers dam and by L^y James Jagers to
Jⁿ Bennets and all ways on record to Riggs is to Amend-
from Jⁿ Lany to Jⁿ Bennets also to the meeting House
and to the ferry & also to Stanwoods Point - - - - -

m^r John Millits propotion is from Little River to his
house and so from Manchay line to the cutt and
from the cutt to Little River-head: and also of ways -
at freshwater cove - - - - -

m^r John Brays propotion is from Little River including
Bridge and so through out the Meeting Presink - - - - -

Hogg weaves

m^r John Haskell hog-weave his Limet to observe the
order of mine is through the presink as far as James di

m^r James Dikes propotion for Limet is from his one house
to Jⁿ Gibbatts and so to freshwater cove and to the
cutt and to his house again - - - - -

m^r Steven Clays Limet as hog-weave is from the cutt to
the meeting House Bridge, and from th^e Bridge by m^r Coomey to
m^r Jeffery Parsons and from his one house to m^r Nath^l Elly
and where he sees cause

m^r William Davises Limet is from the Meeting House Bridge
to Phillip Stanwoods, and up to Smalham and from the
meeting house to Gaber Bakers and where he sees cause

m^r Benja^a Jarrs his Limet as hog-weave is from m^r John Ringers
mill by Jⁿ Janders house round to m^r Jⁿ Pools - - - - -

March 6. 1724 m^r Nath^l Elly as chosen hog-ward for the year ending
his bounds extend from his own house to Eastern point

Bulls Entred with the select men within 10 days after the gene-
ral Town meeting in the year 1724

Cap Joseph Allen one Bull

Haar Evdloth two Bulls

William King three Bulls

Jam^l Jarjeant one Bull

Edmund Grover one Bull

Tho^s Witham one Bull 2 years old

William Laskell y^e 4th one Bull

Jam^l Herreck one Bull

June 1. 1724 then abated of Constable George Harvey list

m^r Joseph Allen - - - - - 0-7-0

m^r Joseph York for cattle ad to much - - - - - 0-7-6

m^r Francis Norwood one head to much - - - - - 0-7-6

m^r Every - - - - - 0-7-6

m^r Stanwood jr - - - - - 0-7-6

m^r Davis for his son Moses - - - - - 0-7-6

Howe Joseph Harris - - - - - 0-7-6

James Harris - - - - - 0-7-6

Ambr^s Claring - - - - - 0-7-6

Thomas Symonten - - - - - 0-7-6

Thomas Gordon - - - - - 0-7-6

at a meeting of the select men August 24. 1724 then abated to constable

Timothy Dag. first Nathan miller rats - - - - - 0-7-0

John Willmore - - - - - 0-4-0

William Ambuckle - - - - - 0-4-0

Septemr. 18th 1724 then there was delivered unto m^r Jamuel
Sergeant ^{capt. of the town} three lists of assment viz: a list of a Town Rate
amounting to 57=12=0 which ^{Constable} is to collect and pay
into m^r Jamy Davis Town Treasurer or his s^uper in ^{to} officiously
the last day of September ~~next~~ instant - - - { 57=12=0
and also a list of a Minestry Rate amounting to 69=1=3 which
said Sergeant is to collect and pay to ~~pay~~ in to ^{to} Davis Town
Treasurer by the last of September ~~next~~ instant - - - { 69=1=3
and also a list of a Province Tax amounting to 69=1=3 and
S^r Sergeant is to levy and collect the same and to pay
into Jeremiah Allen ex^r Province Treasurer the sum
of 50=8=8: and the over plus which is 12=19=7 he is to pay in
to the Town Treasurer by the last day of September ~~next~~ instant - - - { 69=1=3

on the Day above said there was delivered to m^r John - - - { 69=1=3
Sergeant one of the Constables of the Town of Gloucester three
lists of assment to collect viz: a list of a Town Rate amounting
to 64=11=4 and he is to collect the same and pay it into the Town
Treasurer m^r Jamy Davis by the last day of September ^{next} inst^{ant} - - - { 64=11=4
and also a list of a Minestry Rate amounting to 87=7=9 and
said Constable is to collect the same and pay in the sum in
to Davis Town Treasurer by the last of September ~~next~~ inst^{ant} - - - { 87=7=9
and also a list of a Province Tax amounting to 87=7=9 &
on he is to collect the same and pay unto Jeremiah Allen ex^r
Province ^{the sum of} 75=10=00 and the over plus which is 11=17=9
he is to pay in to Davis Town Treasurer by the last day of
September ~~next~~ instant At a meeting of select men - - - { 87=7=9
Dec^r 17th 1724 Added to John's charge of 10^s 6^d 4^q expenses
amounting to five pence. - - - { 07=0=0

on the Day above said there was delivered to m^r William
Haskell jun^r one of the Constables of the Town of Gloucester
two lists of Assment viz: a list of a Town Rate amounting
to 38=9=10 which he is to collect and pay in the same to m^r Jamy
Davis Town Treasurer by the last day of September ~~next~~ inst^{ant}
and also a list of a Province Tax amounting to 43=13=7
and he is to pay into Jeremiah Allen ex^r Province Treasurer
the sum of 37=0=0 and the over plus which is 6=13=7 he is
to pay in to the Town Treasurer by the last of September ~~next~~ inst^{ant}
And there was warrants delivered to each Constable for
the collecting of each respective list - - - { 43=13=7

At a meeting of the select men June 28th 1724/5
Then Received two Receipts coming in full from
under the hand of m^r Jeremiah Allen Province Treas^r
of which Constable Thomas Allen was to pay 1723

At a Meeting of y^e Select men, in Gloucester March 7th 1746
There, was this Day Proportioned to Tho: Allen by y^e Select men the
following part of y^e High ways to be Repaired by him (Viz) Beginning
At y^e Said Allen's Own House, thro: y^e Woods to Sandy Bay And
from Said Allen's to y^e Ferry And from Said Allen's over y^e
Felling Mill, Bridge to James Adnood's as y^e way is called out.
And from Said Allen's House, to y^e southerly side of y^e meeting
House, Bridge, And all persons within Said limits to Said
Service, when Legally Warned

At the meeting above y^e share was proportioned to Samuel
Got his proportion of the highways & from the westerly side of
Gos Cove to Said Got's Row and from y^e Goats to the Butcher's
side of the bridge at the head of Sandy Bay and all the wages within
these limits to be Repaired y^e Said Got and all the persons living
within y^e limits to be Legally Warned

At y^e Meeting Above said there was Proportioned to Daniel
Smith his part of y^e High ways in Order to Repair on Eastern
point And y^e way that leads from y^e Bridge, by Mr Poles,
and so far as y^e Easterly End of James Withams House, as
also y^e way that leads from Mr Tho: Withams to y^e way that
leads from y^e Meeting House to Sandy Bay And all persons are
to Attend Said Service within y^e limits aforesd (Except Mr John
Brown) when Legally Warned

At y^e Meeting Above d. There was Proportioned to Jacob
Heddel his part of y^e High ways in Order to Repair (Viz) All
the High ways in y^e Precinct so far to y^e Southward as y^e
head of Little River and Over y^e River y^e way that leads to
Little Cove, as far as y^e head of y^e Fresh Marsh And all persons
in y^e Precinct on y^e Northerly side of Said River are to Attend
Said Service, when Legally Warned

At y^e Meeting Above d. there was Proportioned to Nathl^l
Wharf by y^e Select men his part of y^e High ways in Order to Repair
from Gos's Cove Bridge so far as y^e Mill Dam to Publick Quay
House, and y^e ways from Said Wharf's House to Jos^l Elvers and also y^e
way on y^e South to y^e West Corner of John Briggs Orchard
and Stanwood's point. And all persons within these limits are
to Attend Said Service, when Legally Warned

At y^e Meeting Above d. there was Proportioned to Eleazer Parsons
by y^e Select men his part of y^e High ways in Order to Repair (Viz)
from y^e Cut to Little River and as y^e Road goes to from said
Parsons's House to Manchester line, and to y^e head of y^e Fresh Marsh
including all y^e ways in Fresh Water Cove, And all persons within
Said limits to Attend Said Service, when Legally Warned

At a Meeting of y^e Select Men in Gloucester March y^e 10th 1724/5
47) There was Proportioned to John Brown by the Select men
his part of y^e High Way's Order to Repair y^e Road from Jones
Withering house to Solithers side of y^e Meeting house. And
and from said Withers side to y^e Wembour to y^e Cut and
and all y^e way within these limits and y^e persons herein
to attend said Service when legally bound

At a Meeting of y^e Select men in Gloucester March y^e 23rd 1724/5
The Overseas Dues

At a meeting at the Inhabitant of the town of
Gloucester March y^e 14th 1724/5 when Chose Mr Gimony
and Mr Benjamin Gimson Mr John Harvill and Constable
for y^e year in said May Refused to serve and
paid fine pounds each of them. £ 15-00-0

At y^e Meeting Above d. An Agreement was made
with y^e Isaac Abbott to keep a Grammar School and
also to teach Reading Writing and Cyphering in Gloucester
for and during y^e term of one year at y^e places Ordered
by y^e Select men Commencing from y^e fifth Day of
April Anno 1724. And said Abbott is to Receive for
his years Service Sixty pounds in bills of Credit
Isaac Abbott

Ebenezer Davis
Ebenzer Parson
Joseph Allen
Thomas Davis
Edw. Thompson
Select men

At y^e Meeting Above d. An Agreement was made with
Moses Smith to Sweep y^e Meeting house Ring y^e bell and take
y^e Charge of y^e Keys and Windows and said Smith is to Receive
of y^e Town for said Service four pound offee. Millings

Gloster May 15th 1725. —

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There was Delivered to y^e Town Treasurers Fifty pounds in
Bills of Credit By y^e select mens Orders By y^e hands of
me. y^e subscribers — Edw: Thompson

£ 50 - 00 - 00

At a meeting of the select men June 2nd 1725 then proportioned
the lay

At a Meeting of y^e select men June 2nd 1725
Ordered to Constable, John Sargent of his Duties
the following particulars

For Nathaniel, Ellery	£ 0 - 9 - 1
Jonathan Ingalls	0 - 10 - 0
Thomas Jones	0 - 10 - 0
Zebediah Giddings	0 - 9 - 6
Wm. Rogers	0 - 16 - 7
Francis Hull	£ 3 - 13 - 7
John White, for one dead	3 - 18 - 4

At a meeting of the select men a vote was then
an order was drawn on the town Treasurers to pay
to John Sargent one of the Constables of this town
the sum of Seven pounds nine shillings and threepence
it being for gathering of the reaper and other service
done for the town — } 7 13

At a Meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of
Gloster June 21st 1725: then Chose Joshua
Nerwood Constable for the year In which and the
to Nerwood he paid to Sarah and Pollye five pounds
and y^e select men Repaid the same
from the hands of Constable the sum of five pounds
and sent the same by the hand of one of
the select men to the Treasurers for payment
Done and by the hands of Nathl. Mr. Ebenezer Davis

Dr. 1725. Returned to y^e Town Treasurers of the sum of
the sum of one pound, which Joseph Lane paid as a fine for
not serving as a Constable by y^e of W. Ebenezer Davis

49. At a meeting of the select men July 27 1725
Then an order was drawn on the town treasure As a
Row to Constable Samuel Surgeant for a Catements.
and for Rates that could not be collected and for
his Collecting the sum of one hundred and Ninety ^{pounds} 10. 55-9
Note that he has allowed the sum of three pounds
seven shillings and ten pence which was due of the
several pounds he drawed out of the town treasure for
to get waits and measures for the town.

At a meeting of the select men August 9. second 1725
Then there was committed to John Bray one of the Constables
of Gloucester to Collect to wit a province Tax amounting
in the whole to sixty one pounds two shillings and eight pence
out of which the sd Bray was ordered to pay to Jeremiah Allen
Esqr. province Treas. or his successor in sd office the sum
of fifty pounds and a over pluck which is Eleven pounds and
three shillings and eight pence the sd Bray was ordered to pay
into Mr James Davis Town Treas. together with a Town
Tax amounting in the whole to thirty six pounds thirteen
shillings and seven pence which sd Bray was ordered to pay
into Mr James Davis Town Treas. or his successor in sd office
on or before the thirty day of September next in
sum the date here of and sd Bray had a warrant for
Collecting the same as the Town Treas. and added to
Town Rate before Delivering seven shillings and four pence
Added since one pound ten and eight pence.

At a meeting of the select men August 9. 25. 1725
Then there was committed to Ezekiel Day one of the
Constables of Gloucester to Collect to wit a Province Tax
amounting to six ~~pounds~~ ^{shillings} and four pence
in the whole out of which the sd Day was ordered to pay
to Jeremiah Allen Esqr. or his successor in sd office the
sum of Eighty five pounds.

At a meeting of the select men August 9. 25. 1725
Then there was committed to Ezekiel Day one of the Con-
stables of Gloucester to Collect a Province Tax amounting to
Ninety six pounds nineteen shillings and four pence out of which
you are ordered to pay to Jeremiah Allen Esqr. Province Treas-
urer or his successor in said office Eighty five pounds as the sd Day
shall receive a warrant from sd Allen to Collect. and also the
the over plus of the province Tax which is Eleven pounds nineteen
shillings and four pence To pay into Mr James Davis Town Treasurer
or his successor in said office by the Last day of September next
the date here of and also a Town Tax of ^{seven} ~~six~~ pounds thirteen
shillings and a penny and also a Ministers Rate of Sixty five pounds
shillings and two pence. Both which sums are to be paid into Mr James
Davis Town Treasurer by last Day of September next ~~the~~ Ensuing Date
here of. According to the warrant together with of last Committed
unto him.

At A meeting of the select Men Aug 25/1725 59
 then there was granted to Peter Collier one of y^e Constables
 of this town of £100-10-0 to Collect A Province Tax amounting
 to £171-19-10 Out of which he was ordered to pay to
 Jeremiah Allen of y^e Province Treasurers or his Successor in
 said Office the sum of £10-10-0 as y^e said Collier hath
 received a warrant from y^e Province Treasurers before on his
 to Collect and also y^e balance of y^e Province Tax which is
 £62-3-2 said Collier is to Collect and pay to Mr James Davis
 town Treasurers or Successor in said Office by y^e first Day of
 Sep^r except Ensign y^e Date here of And also A town Tax
 of £73-12-4 And also A Ministers Rate of £80-10-1
 Both which Sums are to be paid in to y^e Above sd town
 Treasurers or Successor by the last Day of Sep^r Above sd
 according to the Warrant to gether with y^e left (as itted
 into him — —

At A Meeting of y^e select Men An Order was Drawn on
 Mr James Davis town Treasurers to pay to our Reverend
 pastor Mr John White for his Sallery in the yeare one
 thousand seven hundred and twenty four the sum of one
 hundred and sixty pounds It Being granted to him By
 the town for his Sallery for D yeare
 September the 18/1725 - - - - - } 160=00=00

At the Meeting A Board to An Order was Drawn on Mr
 James Davis town Treasurers to pay to our Reverend pastor
 Mr John White for his Sallery in the yeare one thousand
 seven hundred and twenty five the sum of one hundred and
 sixty pounds It Being granted to him By the town for
 his Sallery for D yeare } 160=00=00

At y^e Meeting A Board to An Order was Drawn on Mr James
 Davis town Treasurers to pay to Mr Abel Abitt for the fourth
 quarter of this present yeare the sum of fifteen pounds
 for Ropin school } 15=00=00

At y^e Meeting A Board to An Order was Drawn on the town
 Treasurers Mr James Davis to pay to Joseph Allen the sum of
 three pounds Eighteen shillings and four pence for Sallery Dun for
 the town for what he hath done for the poore } 3=18=7

51 Augt 28 1725 An order Wth Drwn on the
Town Treas^r Mr James Davis to pay out of the
treasure to Mr Ebenezer Davis three pounds: six shillings
for taxes due for the town and for Redding the
poor ----- £3-6-0

At y^e Meeting Above Said An Order was Given on y^e
Town Treas^r to pay to Edw^d. Thompson y^e Sum of three
pound thirteen shillings & being for service done for
the town and y^e poor ----- £3-13-10

At a Meeting of y^e Select men in Grovesd^e Sept 21. 1725
The above Ordered into y^e Town Treas^r Lieut James
Davis by y^e Hands of y^e Constable John May thirty
five pound fourteen shillings & three pence ----- £49-14-0

At y^e Meeting Above Said Ordered into y^e Town Treas^r
Lieut James Davis by y^e Hands of Enoch Day Constable
One hundred and thirty four pound fourteen shillings & seven
pence ----- £134-13-7

At y^e Meeting Above Said was Ordered into y^e Town
Treas^r Lieut James Davis by y^e Hands of Peters
Solliers Constable ----- £220-5-7
Two Hundred and twenty pound five pence.

Added Sum of Commitment to y^e Constable Solliers following
following particulars. (Viz) Benjamin How one head ----- 0-18-11

Tho: Chub one head ----- 0-18-11

George Williamson one head ----- 0-18-11

Daniel Davis Town Rate ----- 0-5-4

John Davis two Rates ----- 0-14-10

At a meeting of y^e Select men Nov 21st 1725 ----- 3-16-11

The Above Said Additions were Returned to y^e Town
Treas^r Lieut James Davis

At a meeting of y^e select men march 8 1725 when a Cabed
Constable Enoch Day those men here after named as

James Daniels ----- 00-18-11

Samuell more ----- 00-18-11

James pettman ----- 00-18-11

David Gilman ----- 00-18-11

3-18-8

At a Meeting of y^e Select men Jan: 30th 1725/26 52
 There was added to Constable Doliver's list of y^e Rates
 in y^e following particulars VVV
 Ebenezer Sawood's whole Rates £ 0 - 18 - 11
 Jacob Marsh's Ditto 0 - 18 - 11
 James Parsons Town Rate 0 - 1 - 6
 Joseph Tarbox Minister's Rate 0 - 5 - 9
 And also to Constable Doliver's Rates since y^e 1st of Nov: 1725
 Comitted in y^e following particulars VVV

Claron Davis An. and Town Rates £ 0 - 13 - 4
 Obediah Tiner two Rates 0 - 13 - 4
 Isaac Eveleth for Stock 0 - 1 - 0
 Ben. Hyslop for Stock 0 - 1 - 0
 £ 1 - 8 - 8

At y^e Meeting Above said the Above said Summs Amounting
 in y^e whole to three pounds, seven shillings and eight
 pence. was Returned into y^e Town Treasurer's List: James Davis
 at a meeting of the select men March the 8th 1725/26
 It was there was an order drawn on the Town Clerk
 to pay to Constable Ezekiel Day Three pounds fifteen
 shillings and eight pence for mens Rats a fewed an x
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At a meeting of y^e Select men Mar: 18th 1727/28
 John White and John Curtis paid Each twenty Shillings
 as a fine for not serving as Dog Reeves whereunto y^e were
 Chosen this Day in y^e Town meeting which was also Returned
 to the Town Treasurer this Day £ 2 - 0 - 0
 Also Daniel Collins who Chose Constable
 paid five pounds as a fine and Refused to serve to y^e
 Med. in y^e Town meeting Being M^{rs} Samuel's £ 5 - 0 - 0
 Steven, who had for part of his wages
 as Representative,

At a meeting of the select men February 16th 1726 then an order
 was given in Effluent James Davis Town Treasurer to a list to constable
 Ezekiel Day the sum of £ 5 - 0 - 0 for gathering the y^e Rates 1 - 17 - 0
 shillings that could not be gathered 0 - 10 - 0 shillings added to me Chief Constable
 0 - 10 - 0 shillings & a warning town officers the whole sum is £ 8 - 0 - 0

At⁵³ a meeting of the select men march 14: 1725 then proportioned
William Haskell & 4th Libaries and limits for hog Reave is to extend to the
whol of the precinct in Goshen

At a meeting above of Jamell Gosh Limits for hog Reave to extend from
the place called Goose Cove including anesquam so Round the Cape as far as the fence

At a meeting above of Stephen Robinson Limits to extend from Goose Cove
including all the middle part of the town as far as John Cartages house

At a meeting above of James Crocker his Limits for hog Reave from ^{my} John
Crocker including the Eastern point the harbor to fresh water Cove to the head
of Little River and up to John Cartages all within such limits for him

At a meeting of the select men to gather with the squire to proportion the
surveyors their Limits: march the 17: 1725/6
then proportioned to Thomas Gray surveyors of high ways to be Required at the
ways on the western side of anesquam River to the head of Little River and
to the narrow of that to Spanish Line and all the persons within those bounds
liable to work to attend such ferries

At a meeting above of then apportioned Elicazer Parsons surveyor of high
ways his Limits to amend from the head of Little River to Little Cove
to Manchester Line from there to the Cut including fresh water Cove and
from the Cut to the head of Little River and all persons within such limits
liable to work to attend such ferries

At a meeting above of then apportioned Philimon Warner surveyor of high ways
his Limits to amend from the Cut through the harbor to the Cape as far
as Sandy Bay including the whol of Eastern point and from the harbor as
far as the meeting house Bridge and all persons within such limits liable to
work by Law to attend such ferries when legally warned by said surveyor

At a meeting above of then select of to Jamell frequent surveyor of high
ways his proportion to amend is all the ways from the head of Goose Cove
to Spanish and down to the Cape as far as Sandy Bay and all persons within
such limits to attend when legally warned by said surveyor to force

At the meeting above of then select of to Benjamin Rinnicum surveyor of
high ways his proportion to amend is from Goose Cove to the meeting house
Bridge and from the ferry through the Cape to Sandy Bay and also from w^m
Smallmans to our Kings mill and all persons within such limits to attend
to Rinnicum when legally warned for such ferries

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At a meeting before J^d then prop^d Philimon Warner
surveyor of highway to amend from the Cutt through the harbor
to the Head and down to Little good harbor as the way goes between
the marsh and the harbor master and from the harbor up to the
meeting house bridge all they ways within those limits and the persons
within those limits to attend said service at time and place when
duly warned

At a meeting above J^d then Jett of Thomas Witham surveyor
of highway his proportion of highway to amend from ferry
bay to the Head of Harbor including both ways by his house
and by Mr. Gravers and from the head of the harbor to Eastern
point and all persons within those limits to attend J^d service
when duly warned by said Wardens

At the meeting above J^d then an agreement was made with
Stephen Robinson by the select men to take care of the meeting
house and sweep it and to Ring the bell when there is a call
and to have five pounds for the same for ever year.

At a meeting of Select Men of Gloucester April 12. 1726
an agreement was made with Mr. Dan. Witham to
keep a Grammar School and also to teach reading, Writing &
Cyphering in Gloucester for and during the Term of one year
at of Place ordered by of Select ^{Men} Commencing from the eight-
eenth Day of this Instant Aprill 1726 And if S^r Witham
is to receive for his Wages for said Service the Sum
of Sixty Pounds

Dan. Witham

Joseph Allen } Select Men
Nathaniel Ellery }
Edw. D. Tompson }

55 th At a meeting of the select men August the 10 th 1726	
then abated the Constable's Debened John Card & John Rats	0 - 18 - 11
and Joseph smart & Etebor Rats	0 - 18 - 11
and Joseph Smith of York two heads abated	1 - 17 - 10
and Ebenezer Ashby & Curatly Rats	0 - 18 - 11
and abated George Dickenson Head Cragg Thomas Dwyer Joseph	3 - 15 - 8
and abated to him seven shillings two pence Samuel Pearce	0 - 04 - 2
and abated to him Samuel Sandford one head	0 - 18 - 11
and abated to him Nathaniel Bray Rats	1 - 00 - 0
and abated to him three shillings nine pence for an ass	0 - 03 - 9
and abated to him Charles Glauw's Rats which is	1 - 01 - 9
and abated to him for Josiah Grand	0 - 09 - 6
and abated to him for William Chadall thirteen shillings one	0 - 13 - 1
and abated to him nine shillings for Samuel Stewarts twice entered	0 - 09 - 0
and William Nelson & shillings that was twice entered	0 - 05 - 0
and abated to him Arnes Chatman Rats	0 - 18 - 11
and abated to him Francis Grealy's Rats	0 - 18 - 11
and abated to him William neffars Rats	0 - 18 - 11
and abated to him William Briggsman Rats	0 - 18 - 11
and abated to him William Irish Rats	0 - 18 - 11
and abated to him Ames Goude Rats	0 - 18 - 11
and abated to him Demiall Gouden Rats	0 - 18 - 11
and abated to him John Battin Rats	0 - 18 - 11
and abated to him Jacob flats Rats	0 - 18 - 11
and	22 = 08 = 8

At a Meeting of the select men Aug. 15th 1726
 There was allowed to Constable Samuel Sargent an Abatement
 of 4 Rats of Ralph Andrews being 4 - 18 - 11

All Attesting of the select Men August
 of 17 / 1726 then Thore Wolf committed
 to John Bray one of the Constables
 of Gloucester to Collet to write a Prowence
 take amounting to fifty nine pounds twelve
 shillings and two pence which the D.
 Bray is ordered to pay in to Jeremiah
 Allen Esq. Prowence Trophor or such offer
 in D. offer the sum of fifty nine
 shillings and two pence 259 = 12 = 2
 All Town purpose of A town trust committed
 to D. Constable to Collet and pay in to

Leut James Daur ^{town treasurer} or his ^{or} In D offis of 56
Sum of forty Nine pounds four shillings & four pence
At A meeting of the select Men August y^e 1726 $\text{£} 49 = 7 = 7$

19/1726 There were W^o committed parts
of A province tax to Constable Benjamin Wholer
to Collect and pay In to Jeremiah Allen Esqr
proceed treasurer or his ^{or} In D offis
the sum of Ninety Eight pounds two shillings & four pence
 $\text{£} 98 = 10 = 7$

At y^e Meeting At Court To part of A town tax
Amounting to Eighty one pound five shillings and
pence which the D Wholer is order Ed to pay In
to Leut James Daur town treasurer or his ^{or} In D offis
In D offis at or before the thirty day of September
And all low parts of Amherst Rate Amounting
to forty Eight pounds fifteen shillings and nine pence
Which the D Constable is order Ed to pay In to
Leut James Daur town treasurer or his ^{or} In D offis
In D offis at or before the thirty day of September
Next from the date Above mentioned $\text{£} 148 = 15 = 9$

At the Meeting Above said There were
Committee to Constable Ebenezer Parsons
of Gloster to Collect parts of the province
tax Amounting to one hundred forty seven
pounds ten shillings & seven pence oute
of which the D Parsons is order Ed to pay
In to Jeremiah Allen Esqr Proceed treasurer
or his ^{or} In D offis the sum of Eighty one
pound Eighteen shillings and nine pence $\text{£} 81 = 18 = 9$
And the over plus which is sixty two pound
two shillings & two pence is order Ed to pay In
to Leut James Daur town treasurer or his ^{or} In D offis
In D offis at or before the thirty day of September
Next from the date Above mentioned $\text{£} 62 = 12 = 2$

57th At meeting of the select men August 19. 1726
 Then was committed to Constable Ebenezer Parsons to Collect
 part of a town tax amounting to the sum of one hundred twenty
 pounds six shillings & ten pence which sum p^r persons is to pay
 in to Leat James Davis town treasurer or his assignee in p^r office
 at or before the last day of September next from the date hereof
 £ 120-6-10
 and at the meeting above said there was committed to Constable Parsons
 to Collect part of a minister Rate amounting to the sum of
 seventy two pounds eight shillings & eight pence which sum p^r persons
 is ordered to pay in to Leat James Davis town treasurer or assignee
 in p^r office at or before the last day of September next
 from the date hereof £ 72-8-8

Sept. 22. 1726. Added to Constable Ebenezer Parsons Rate
 of several persons Rate, amounting to £ 6-7-11

October the 7. 1726 Then the Community that was
 Appointed to Reckon With Leat James Davis Town
 the prior Mot And Made up the Accounts that is to say
 for all Commitments from y^e 28 day of February 1723^d
 to the 16 day of August in the year 1726
 And all finds to the Day Above mentioned And
 there is due from the tithes to the town which is to say
 for several Mens Lands to y^e value of one hundred
 and fifty pounds fourteen shillings and four pence
 half penny
 Sam^l Sargent
 Joseph Allen

January the 30th 1726 Constable John Bray Ordered & warned Rithel
 Ward forthwith to depose the town of Glooston
 to go from where you came

At the Meeting Above said Allowed to Constable Peter Doliver
 the sum of one pound 7^d Being for the Rate of Mr Samuel Stoums
 Brig At 100^d in the year 1724
 By all 100^d By Ebenezer Howard Rate the year 1724 that could not be
 taken By M^r Doliver paid William Rogers
 as all 100^d By M^r Doliver paid William Rogers
 for work done on the House Bull for goodly Miller
 By Benjamin Howard 0-18-11 Joseph Smith 0-18-11
 By Joseph Wether 0-18-11 Jonathan Williams 0-18-11
 By James Mear

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Memo for Largent was not
returned to the measure 4th for ought
not to be allowed

Gloster March 27 1727

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An Agreement Was made With Mr Joseph Mannings of
Ipswich To keep a Grammar School and also To teach Reading
Writing & Cyphering in Gloster for and During the Term
of one Quarter of a Year at the place appointed by the
Select men Said Mannings began his Scholl the twenty first day
of December last past and Said Mannings is To have for his
wages for Said Service the Sum of Twelve pound Ten Shillings

Joseph Mannings

Nathaniel Ellery

Joseph Allen
William Huskell

Select
11/15/27

£12-10-00

Gloster March the 27 1727

An Agreement Was made With Charles Glover to keep a
Grammar School And All send to Learn Reading Writing & Cyphering
in Gloster for & During the term of three months at
the place ordered by the select men of D Gloster from the
first day of April next from the Date to the till the term
of three months of Cambridge to have for his services fifty
pounds in Buellick Bills of Credit out of the town treasary

Charles Glover

Joseph Allen
Nathaniel Ellery
Samuel Stevens

Select Men

£15-00

Gloster April the 10 1727

At a meeting of the select men then proportioned Joseph Lunt
part of the Highway of D Gloster for the present year to men
and Ross in good Repair as at Colerworth Vile from the south
side of Hardy Bay Brook over the Bridge as the way leads to
D Lunt one hour still as the way leads to the south side
of Lobber Cove to Coler and all persons with in these limits
are to attend your morning turn of D ways as the land directs
at the meeting a Ben D John Rings Proportion of Highway to
Repair and mend this present year begins Vile at the North
side of the Cove Ellen Lobber Cove to at the way leads till
you Run to the South East End of Rings Down then begins
at the Next End of D down as the way leads till you come
to pour for Point then from D Down till you come to the
way as the way of Lobber out turn etc

59 Gloucester April the 10 / 1727 Bonnicum Linicum. The portion of
the high ways In D Gloucester for this present year to mend and
keep in Repair begining at the south east End of Ring
mill dam & as the way Leads to the wide Merry Dore & the way
In Layd out till you com to Mr Nathens where it is from
thence to mend William Inoffmone as far as the way is
Loyd out and from D Dore over the Jellin mill bridge
at the way Leads over the Meeting house bridge
and all persons Lyable By Law to work on D ways are
to attend & be present when worked as the Law directs

At the meeting Above said Stephens Rows Purpotion of
the high Ways In D Gloucester for this present year to mend and
keep in Repair begining at Mr Thomas Withams and so a long
at the high Way Leads to Mr Stephens Clays and all the Ways on Easton
point and the Way of the South side of Little good harbour near the
Thos as your Limits and you are to mend and keep in Repair all
Thos as high Ways a lvs merchant & all persons Within Thos as
Limits are to attend your Warning to Work on Said Ways as
Law directs

At the meeting Above said James Sawyers Purpotion
of the high Ways In D Gloucester for this present year to mend
and keep in Repair begining at Mr Jonathans Gigerells house and
so a long shrou the harbour to the gut then begining at the
meeting house bridge down the D Sawyers gate house and from your
one holle to Manchester Lane both the upper way and lower way
Leads by Throshwater Cove then begining at Eddys James Parpotion
so far as Little River Thos as are your Limits and bounds and you
are to mend and keep in Repair all Thos as high Ways a lvs merchant
and all persons Within Thos as Limits are to attend your Warning to
Work on Said Ways as the Law directs

At the meeting Above said Jonathan Pools Purpotion of
the high Ways In D Gloucester for this present year to mend &
keep in Repair begining at Mr John Pool and a long by Mr Grovers
Dellyou Come to Mr Thomas Withams and through the Woods to the
meeting house and said Withams Thos as are your Limits and bounds
and you are to mend & keep in Repair all Thos as high Ways a lvs
merchant and all persons Within Thos as Limits are to attend your
Warning to Work on Said Ways as the Law directs

At the meeting Above said Benjamin Haskell Purpotion of
the high Ways In D Gloucester for this present year to mend & keep in
Repair begining at Ipswich Lane over the bridge by your one house and to
the meeting house and down to Mr Timothy Daws and to the Freshmarsh
and as far as the Cove Thos as are your Limits and bounds and you are to
mend & keep in Repair all Thos as high Ways a lvs merchant and all
persons Within Thos as Limits are to attend your Warning to Work
on Said Ways as the Law directs

Glocester - September the 28 / 1727
 At A meeting of the select men - of An. Order
 was Drawn on the town Treasr. Jonathan Jones
 Dearer town Treasr. to Allow to Con. St. -
 Ebenezer Parsons out of his List the sum of
 thirty six pounds two shillings & two pence
 $24 = 7 = 8$ for A bet mont that could not
 Be gathered $7 = 16 = 6$ for gathering 312
 $312 = 18 = 9$ And some out of the town
 $1 = 18 = 0$ } $34 = 2 = 2$

Glocester - September the 28 / 1727
 At A meeting of the select men - An order was drawn on.
 Jonathan Jones Dearer town Treasr. to Allow to Con. St. -
 Samuel Sargent one pound Eight shillings & two pence
 Being for the Debt that was bound on Gory & Hornd & Cappe
 Debt left to Glocester to pay - $18 = 10$

At A meeting of the select men Glocester October 4th 1727
 Then there was Committed to Josiah Sargent one
 of the Constables of this town of Glocester to Collect a
 Town Tax amounting to the sum of Eighty nine pounds
 Two shillings and four pence also a ministers Rate of the sum
 of one hundred and Eleven pounds both Sums you are to pay
 into Mr James Davis Town Treasurer or his Successor in
 office at or before the Last day of November next in writing
 this date according to the Warrant to gather With the List
 Comitted unto him the sd Sargent - $2200 = 02 = 4$

At The meeting ^{above} Said Then there was Committed to
 Joseph Wheeler one of the Constables of this town
 of Glocester to Collect a Town Tax amounting to the
 sum of Sixty pounds fourteen shilling also a ministers
 Rate of the sum of Seventy five pounds one shilling
 both Sums you are to pay into Mr James Davis Town
 Treasurer or his Successor in said office at or before
 the Last day of November next in writing this date
 according to the Warrant to gather With the List
 Comitted unto him the said Wheeler - $135 = 15 =$
 Joseph Sargent Junr. date was committed Low 1727 $14 = 11$
 At A meeting of the select men - $12 = 11$

At The meeting above Said Then Recd a Receipt of
 Jeremiah Allen of the sum of one hundred & twenty pound
 Two shilling & six pence the second part of £2000 being received
 of the Trustees - Samuel Stevens - $2200 = 02 =$

Glocester October 25/1727 - 62
 Then there was committed Unto Constable Ebenezer
 Luskien one of the Constables of the Glocester part of the
 Town Rate withARRANT to Collect the same
 Amounting to thirty seven pounds sixteen shillings
 and to pay the same to Lieut James Hauser our town
 treasurer or his luck for our Gen Taid off at or on
 before the Last day of November next
 from the set A cov montionds - 37-16-0
 added by Daniel Andrus and Ralph Andrus - 13 4

At Amooting of the Selectmen Glocester Decemb^r 1727
 Then there was committed To Josiah Jagersoll one
 of the Constables of this Town of Glocester to Collect part
 of a province Tax amounting to the Sum of thirty two
 pounds Ten Shillings and 6 Constables is to pay
 thirty six pounds into Jeremiah allen Esq^r of provanc
 Treasurer and the other six pounds into Mr James
 Davis Town Treasurer or his Successor in 10 offis
 at on or before the Last day of march next in Seeing
 according to the List committed unto the J Jagersoll
 Towns 46-10-
 hole - 52-10

At Amooting of the Selectmen Glocester Decemb^r 1727
 Then there was committed To Jethro Wheeler one
 of the Constables of this Town of Glocester to Collect part
 of a province Tax amounting to the Sum of thirty five
 pounds three Shillings and 6 Constables is to pay thirty
 one pounds into Jeremiah allen Esq^r of provanc
 Treasurer and the other four pounds three Shillings into Mr
 James Davis Town Treasurer or his Successor in 10
 offis at on or before the Last day of march next in Seeing
 the Date here of Jethro Wheeler Towns 31-00
 hole 35-05

At the meeting a covs I then there was committed To
 Ebenezer Luskien one of the Constables of this Town of Glocester
 to Collect a province Tax amounting to the Sum of twenty
 three pounds five Shillings 4s and 6 Constables is to pay
 twenty pounds six Shillings into Jeremiah allen Esq^r
 provanc Treasurer and the other two pounds nine shillings
 4s into Mr James Davis Town Treasurer
 or his Successor in 10 offis at on or before the Last
 day of march next in Seeing the Date here of
 Towns 22-19-5
 hole 23-05-5

Glocester Decemr 4th 1727

At A meeting of y^e Selectmen Then a Catment Was
 a Lov^d to Constable Benj^a Wheeler for head that could no
 be got then alowd Samuel Briant - - - - - Loo-19-5
 also David Ring - - - - - 2-19-5
 also James Dinniles - - - - - 0-19-5
 also John Moulton - - - - - 0-19-5
 also Samuel Mero - - - - - 0-19-5
 also Thomas Merroyfold - - - - - 0-19-5
 also Georg Clark - - - - - 0-19-5
 also John Tucker Jun^r - - - - - 0-19-5
 also John Davis - - - - - 0-19-5
 and also for Gathering Two hundred &
 ninetoon pound Sixteen Shilling and 2^d Ls-10-0
 also a lated half Samuel Hoggins Scauers rate - 4-5
 in full of all account between Constable
 Benj^a Wheeler and the Town - Totall L14-09-2

Glocester Janvary 4th 1728

At A meeting of y^e Selectmen Then a Catment
 Was a Lov^d to Constable John Bray for
 Thomas Haskels Rates - - - - - Ls-17-6
 and for Warning of m^r Vaird out of Town 4-0
 and for Warning of y^e Town officers - 12-0
 and also for Gathering one hundred and
 eight pound Two Shilling & three pence L2-14-6
 in full of all accounts between Constable
 John Bray and the Town - Totall L4-08-0

Gloster Dosem Ben y 12/1727

These Agreed With John Day of this Town of Gloucester to take care of ~~his~~ ^{the} ~~child~~ ^{the} ~~Susannah~~ ^{Susannah} Kent & her Child Called Stephen who is now at house and to keep and maintain her & Child and to provide for them all things that shall be suitable necessary & convenient for them both in sickness & in health for the term of and during her natural life and the Child till he comes to the age of twenty one years of age and he to be allowed & paid for his care & pains and trouble in looking after & providing for them the sum of thirty pounds to be paid out of the Town Treasury in manner following to say ten pound for the first year and five pound for each year after for the space of four years and after the four years are expired & said day is to take care of them without being any charge to the town and town shall not have any thing to do with any estate she now has in possession or in reversion

And if the a boy named John Day do accept to take the a boy named Susannah & her Child Stephen on the terms a boy mentioned and do oblige my self my heirs Executors & administrators to take care of them & provide for them in every respect all things that shall be suitable necessary & convenient for them as to convenient suitable most drink apparel washing & Lodging & other necessities for the time a fore expressed as witness my hand the day above said

Signed Sealed &

present of

Sam^l Stevens

Joseph Allen

{ Select
Men

Samuel Horne
Nathaniel Ellery

John Day

65 At a meeting of the Select men march the 11th 1728
an order was drawn on the treasurer to pay unto elder
James Sawyer four pounds four shillings in full for
his charges about the cut and of all accounts between
him and the town untill this day as agent

at a meeting of the select men march the 11th 1728
an order was drawn on the town treasurer for five pounds payable
to Charles Glover schoolmaster in full for his wages for teaching
school from the first day of april last past unto this day

At a Meeting of the Select men March 11. 1728.

The Proportion of the High Ways committed to mr Samuel Griffin
chosen Surveyor of the High Ways for the ensuing Year was all
the High Ways lying between mr Pools Bridge and the Head of
Goose Cove with y^e Bridges

At y^e Same Meeting of y^e Select Men

The Proportion of High Ways committed to mr Benjamin Far
chosen Surveyor of the High Ways for y^e year ensuing was All the
High Ways from Pools Brook including the Bridge thereon
So thro the Woods to mr Thomas Withams, including the Bridge
by y^e Withams Door, thence along by Jeffery, Parson's and thro
mr Grovers Farm & the Rest as the Way or Ways go to y^e
Brook and Bridge first mentioned.

At the Above^d Meeting of y^e Select Men

The Proportion of high Ways committed to John Collins chosen
Surveyor of y^e high Ways for the ensuing Year was from mr
Thomas Withams Bridge to y^e Head of the Harbour and on
Eastern Point from y^e Head of the Harbour to Jonathan In
gersells, so down to Warnors Corner & so down to Ellerys Cove

At y^e above Meeting of the Select Men.

Mr Nathaniel Sayers Proportion of the High Ways
was from the Cutt along the Harbour to Warnors Corner, and
from James Sayers to the Middle Bridge & thence to Jon:
Ingersells, and from y^e middle Bridge to y^e Meeting House &
So by Thomas Withams & so thro the Woods till the joynt y^e
Way of Meads from y^e Withams to Sandy Bay.

At the Meeting above

Mr Elias Davis's Proportion of the High Ways was
from the Meeting House to Goose Cove & all y^e Northward of y^e
falling Mill Brook & on the Neck to y^e Ferry

At the Meeting aforesaid

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Mr John Parson's Proportion of the High Ways was
from the Citty to the Precinct Line

At a Meeting aforesaid

Mr Josiah Haskell's Proportion of the High Ways
was all the High Ways to the Northward and Eastward of the
high Way that leads from Ipswich Line by of Pine Tree to Melong
and So to Little River that is to say all of High Ways to of
Northward and Eastward of of Said Way as far as Squam
River - and all persons qualifys according to Law within of Said
Limits are required to attend when legally Warned excepting
Mr Isaac Eveleth's Family Joseph Day's and those living in of
House that was formerly Mr Tompson's.

At a Meeting aforesaid

Mr Joseph Haskell's Proportion of the High Ways
was all the High Ways lying between Ipswich Line and
Kettle Cove, beginning at of Pine Tree by Benjamin
Haskell's and so to of Meeting House & so to Little River
and from thence to Manchester Line - and all the Inha-
bitants on of Westley side of of Way to Little River and then
on both Sides of the Way to Kettle Cove and also Mr Isaac
Eveleth's Family, Joseph Day's With of Family's that dwell
in the House that was Mr Tompson's & William Haskell
the Third are required to attend when legally warned.

at a meeting of the select men May 9th 1728
then an order was drawn of the Treasurer to pay To stowen Robson two
pounds and ten shilings being in full for surveying the meeting house
the last year 1727 which order the Town of of last March

Boston August 15: 1728

Received of the Trustees of Gloucester by Mary Stevens one hundred and
twenty Pounds two shilings three third fifth Part of thare Proportion
of the 50000 done For my Father Jeremiah Allen Esq^r Treas^r
of Jeremiah Allen Jun^r

17. A meeting of the Select Men March the 7: 1728/9
the proportion of the high way in the town of
Glocester for Little Clove to Reper & Mond from the Cut to
the Meeting house Bridge of and all the way in the Harber As
far as Samuel Lons Lodging Captt Canny & Lodging the
people that way for Captt Robinson & all persons with In
the to transport or Districet qualified according to Law Excepting
Mr James Lons & his family are to assist you when Equally
wounded here to you are all so Required to work two day
with all the people & teams with In the said Districet upon
the way that Leads from John Sargents to Little River half
the people Each day In order to Mark you Disfranch
proportionable with the Rest of the Survaivors for which
that is your proportion

Mr James Lons proportion of the high way to Mond and Re
per in the town of Glocester for the year 1728/9 It is as follo
wth. viz. All the high way lying to the North ward of the New
Proport or Quom Proport Line and all persons Able to it bond
& Assist in the time when Equally wounded for which this
shall Be your sufficient warrant

Mr James Lons proportion of the high way to Mond & Reper in
the town of Glocester for the year 1728/9 It is as followth. viz.
the high way that Leads from the ferry to the Meeting house as
all the way that Leads from Mond from the Meeting house
to Mond & Bay so far as the Long Cope to Colled & the way that Leads
from Mond Bay to Bignon hill so far as the proportion Line
as all the way that Leads from Mr James Lons house to
Lond by path & all persons to it Appointed with In proportion
Liable By Law on high ways being duly wounded and to work
and the town so far as you and all the way & your Assistances all
the way mentioned and to work on day on the way that Leads from
John Sargents house to the head of Little River so Colled for which
that shall Be your sufficient warrant

Mr Benjamin Hindcombs proportion of the high way in the town
of Glocester for the year 1728/9 your proportion of high way
to Mond is as followth. viz. all the high way from the
Bridge By John Tuckers house Excluding the Bridge Southly to far
at the Mill Colled Rings Mill & from to the way that Leads from
Daneys house & low off till you come to the way that Leads into the woods
the Meeting house to Mond Bay & the way that Leads into the woods By William
By your house & the way that Leads into the town Neck Except the
Highway as all the high way on the town Neck Except the
way that Leads from the Meeting house to the ferry & all persons &
Assistances Equally qualified By Law to work on high way
when Equally wounded and to a bond to transport and all persons to work
one day the town & the head of John Sargents & the head of Little
River so Colled for which that shall Be your sufficient warrant

~~Proportion~~ Mr Luke Mungen Proportion of the high ways to men and Repare in the Town of Gloucester for the year 1729 It is as followeth viz all the high ways from the Ipswich Line and so to Beniaman Haskel Inn and so to the Present meeting house & from thence to Letel Keven and then to manchester line and so to the Westward taking in all the high wayes that is not in Abram Foxers street and to Take in Cap Eueleys family & Joseph Day and John Robertes House which was in time past Mr Thompsons house and all Parsons and assestare within said Distrect Lyable by Law to work on high wayes being Lawfully warned are to attend said service you are also and your assestare with the above mentioned Limitation to Work one day one the way that leadeth from John Sargents to the head of Letel Keven so Called for which this shall be your Suficient warrant

Capt Andrews Robinson: Proportion of the Highways is as followeth viz all the way upon the Eastern point as far as the way that leads from Mr. Williams Wharf to Peter Wims House, then beginning with Samuel Rax along by Mr. Williams and Grocers as far as long Joe, and so along from Little Good Harbour the way by the great Parter to Capt. John Corneys, and all persons within the said Division or District qualified according to Law one to assist when Legally warned, you are also to work two days with half your people & Teams each day upon y^e ways that leads from John Sargents to Little River, in and to proportion his work & ways with the rest of the Surveyors &

Abraham Lowyers Proportion of the Highways is as follows viz all the ways to the Northward & Eastward of the High way that leads from Ipswich Line by the Present Meeting and to the Little River, that is to say all the High ways to Northward & Eastward of the said way as far as Lyman River, and all persons within limits are to attend when duly warned, Excepting Cap. Isaac Doelaths family Joseph Day and those living in the House that was formerly Mr. Thompsons, he is also to work two days with half

half his peoples and teams each Day upon the way
that Leads from Dover Lungs to Little River, in order
to proportion his work with the rest of the Surveyors

Mr John Sargent Proportion of the High ways in
the town of Gloucester for the year On Thursday next
Died & twenty Nine Is as followeth Viz: the way
that Leads from the Head of Little River By your
one hour to the Cut & from the Cut westwardly to
road, Salome as the highway Lead till you come to the
proportion Line & all persons & Assistants & Between
the Cut & the proportion Line in each party Lyable
Law to work on the High ways Hoaxly bound as
the Law directs And to Assist And this shall be your
sufficient warrant

All collecting of the Selectmen the 18th Day of March 1728/9
The Order was drawn ordered James Davis Town Treasurer
for nine pounds three shillings payable to John Wheeler
one of the Constables for the Year 1727 But for summing
Town officers for gathering the Rates in said year 83 and
for the abatement of the Rates of John Davis Jonathan Hodgkins
Anthony Combs, Sam^l Collins Man David Hodgkins, and Joseph
Sargent Jun^r all to the sum of 89/8 - 3 s 0

May 17 1729 Then the Toller Mr. Rankin with
Lieutenant James Davis Town Treasurer & Mad up
A sum of 100 s 10 s 0 p 0 d to say for the
All sum of 100 s 10 s 0 p 0 d committed to the Town
to this day and then Remains due to the Town three
hundred & twenty pounds two shillings & ten pence half penny
£ 320 = 2 s 10 p 2

September the 6th 1729 At a meeting of the Toller Amon
then Allowed to Peter Aukle Thomas Riggs for his Collecting
three Rates or Taxes on the polls & Houses of the North
by roads in Gloucester for the year 1728/9 which is 7-3-8
Is for James Davis for the Town in summing Town of 15
other Taxes in the Rate Amount to 1-3-
as Above Allowed to David Davis 8-3-0
James Phipps Rate 14-9-0
Thomas Phipps Rate 8-3-0 Abated part to John Low part of 0-15
the Hoops Rate 7-0-0 Robert pariki T. Rate 0-7
abated part of Robert pariki T. Rate 0-7
abated of Robert pariki T. Rate 0-7
which is in full for all A take ments and for use to the
to Riggs John Jackson - as witness my hand
Thomas Riggs

At the meeting mentioned to do one the other 70
then An order was drawn on the town to pay Liut James
Dawes to A-lou of 100 but with Constable Thomas Riggs the
sum of Elowen pounds Elowen shillings & Elowen pence
In full for the said sum of 100
of Rats that could not be gathered. 11-11-11

At a meeting of the select men September 8. 1729
then an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer
to pay unto Lemuel Allen twelve shillings
it being for 6 fells of Glaz which his brother Lem
made for the Town in the year 1727.

At a meeting of the select men Sept. 13. 1729
Tollat men there was committed to Constable James
Garner part of A town tax amounting
to twenty eight pounds Elowen shillings & ten pence
to pay the same unto the Town Treasurer James Dawes
or his Successor in full of it at or before the
first day of December next In. being the date
A Cou mentioned. 78-11-10

As Allson there was at the meeting about committed
unto Constable David Stonwood to collect part
of A town tax amounting to fifty four pounds
two shillings & three pence and to pay the same
to Liut James Dawes Town Treasurer or his
Successor in full of it at or before the
first day of December next In. being the
date A Cou mentioned. 54-2-3

As Allson there was at the meeting about
committed unto Constable John Day to collect
part of A town tax amounting to thirty
five pounds Ninton shillings & three pence
to pay the same to Liut James Dawes Town
Treasurer or his Successor in full of it at or
before the first day of December next
In. being the date A Cou mentioned 35-19-3

7th Row for November the 26: 1729 At A Meeting of
the select Men There Where W^{as} Summ^{ed} to
Constable James Gardon Test of A p^{ro}uence tax
to pay into Jeanniah Allen Esq^r p^{ro}uence tax
on his buck for in off the sum of twenty Eight
pounds the 1st of May next from the date of
hereafter at on or before the last day of May next
before the date above mentioned L⁴⁸=6-4

At the Meeting Above to there was committed to
Constable David Hurwood part of A p^{ro}uence tax
to pay in to Jeanniah Allen Esq^r p^{ro}uence
hereafter on his buck for in to offer at on or be
fore the last day of May next from the date of
above mentioned the sum of five pounds three
shillings & one penny L⁵²=3-1

At the Meeting Above to there was committed to Const^{able}
able John Day part of A p^{ro}uence tax amount
ing to twenty nine pounds three shillings & three pence
to pay to Jeanniah Allen Esq^r p^{ro}uence tax
hereafter on his buck for in said off the on or be
fore the last day of May next from the date
above mentioned At All these there was committed
to to day to collect the over plus of to these
which is Eight pounds one & four pence which
the Constable is ordered to pay to Lieutenant
James Davies to an treasurer on his buck for in
to offer at on or before the last day of May
next from the date above mentioned which is in
the note thereby four pounds four shillings & five
pence L³⁷=4-3

February 2nd 1729 At a Meeting of the Select Men
There Allowed to Constable James Sawyer for his Collect^{ing}
the several Taxes that was committed to him to collect in
the year 1728 as also for several people who could not
get the Rates of, and for all the other services done
by him as Constable in said year Twelve Pounds Twelve
shillings which is to my full Satisfaction L¹²=12-0
Witness My Hand James Sawyer

At a meeting of the select men march 11: 1729/30. Then proportioned the highways in this town to the several highways for the ensuing year. Mr. Timothy Day's proportion is as followeth that is to say all the High ways in the precinct as they are laid out and established to the North word of said Day's house in the precinct and all persons & estate with in said limits when legally warned are to attend said service as the Law Directs

Mr. John Willits proportion is as followeth that is to say all the High ways in the precinct to the South word of Timothy Day's house as they are laid out and established and all persons and estate with in said limits when legally warned are to attend said service as the Law Directs

Mr. John Sargent's proportion of Highways to Amend is followeth that is to say all the Highways to the East word of the precinct so far as Elias Sargent's house and all persons and estate liable to work on Highways when legally warned are to attend said service as the Law Directs

Mr. Jacob Benda's proportion of Highways to Amend is as followeth that is to say all the Highways on the North word of the precinct line of the great Squam and all persons and estate with in said parish when legally warned are to attend said service as the Law Directs

Mr. William Piers's proportion of Highways to Amend is as followeth viz that is to say all the Highways to the East word of Elias Sargent's house and so to the middle Bridge to the North word of Stephen Cleigh's house and all persons and estate with in the way leadeth until you come to Littlegood harbor River and all the persons and estate to the South word of said way and River as far west as by of James Withams and all that are to the west word of said Withams with in said limits when regularly warned are to attend said service as the Law Directs

Mr. Henry Withams proportion of Highways to Amend is as followeth viz Beginning at the way by the head of the harbor and so on as the way leadeth on the North side of Littlegood harbor River and the way at leadeth from Mr. Thomas Withams through to Sandy Bay and so Northerly to Squam point line and Easterly from Sandy Bay as the way leadeth by the North side of harbor till you come to Mr. Thomas Withams above said and all persons and estate with in said limits and so far west as Mr. James Withams are when regularly warned are to attend said service as the Law Directs

Freign Thomas Allen's proportion of Highways to Amend is as followeth that is to say all the Highways on the Town Neck and the way that leadeth from the meeting house to Sandy Bay so far as the way that leadeth from Mr. Thomas Withams to Sandy Bay and all Highways lying between said way and the middle Bridge so called or Harbor Bridge and all persons & estate liable to work on Highways with in said limits when regularly warned are to attend said service as the Law Directs

At James Davis's proportion of Highways to Amend is as followeth that is to say all the Highways on the West word of the way that leadeth from the meeting house to Sandy Bay on the West side of the Cape and on the Easterly side of the mill River so far as the Bridge by John Tucker's house including said Bridge and all people & estate with in said limits liable to work on Highways when regularly warned are to attend said service as the Law Directs

At the meeting a good then agreed with Mr. Nathaniel Walter to keep school the term of three months to teach children to Read write and cipher and Grammar in the Town Schoolhouse in this town by both Mr. Walter and the school three months before the tenth Day of this instant and at the end of said three months said Mr. Walter is to have five shillings for his care and pains therein

Glocester Appril 7: 1730: At a meeting of the select men
Then Returned to Lieut James Davis Town Treasurer an account of
Several fines due to the Town as followeth -

Nymphas Stacy for Refusing to serve as Collector 1729	3-0-0
Benjamin Davis for Refusing to serve as Constable	2-0-0
Daniel Smith for Refusing to serve as Constable	2-0-0
Henry Witham for Refusing to serve as Collector 1729	3-0-0
Amabel Allen for Refusing to serve as Collector	3-0-0
Mr John Prime for Refusing to serve as Hodgekunt	1-0-0
John Prime for Refusing to serve as Hodgekunt	1-0-0

At the meeting above said a warrant was sent to Mr John Day on of the Constables of this
Town for the present year to warn Hugh DeLorain and his family who are residing
at Samuell Hodgekunt's forthwith to Depart this Town to the Town from whence they came

At a meeting of the select men November 23- 1730

The a warrant was sent to Constable John Day to warn Samuel
Veniel to Departe this Town for the with and to return from it

At the meeting above said a warrant was sent to Constable
David Plummer to warn Henry Curtee and John Caine to
Departe this Town forth with

January 14: 1730/1 Then the Committee that was Chosen
for for to Jarvis Madgarp account with Lieut James
Davis Town Treasurer for what was Due to the Town
May: 19: 1729 and all fines and Assessments Committed
to the Treasurer to this Day and also paid said
to the Treasurer for three years Jarvis as Town Treasurer
and their Remained Due to the Town Two hundred
thirty and four pound Nineeen shillings & five pence
234-19-5

Glocester April March 10 1730/1
An Agreement made with Mr Nathaniel Waller to
keep a Grammar School as also to teach Reading and writing
all Cyphering in Glocester During the term of one year
at the above said place and to Remise to other parts in the
Town as he shall receive order and he is to have for his service
seventy pound
Nat. Waller

Glocester June 28 1735 at a meeting of the select men
Then Returned to Lieut James Davis Town Treasurer an account
of Several fines Due to the Town as followeth -

Samuel Row refusing to serve as Constable	5-0-0
Joseph Haskell jun refusing to serve as Constable	5-0-0
William Haskell jun Refusing to serve as Constable	5-0-0
Jonathan Pool refusing to serve as Constable	5-0-0
Samuel Stevens jun refusing to serve as Collector	3-0-0
James Sawyer refusing to serve as Collector	3-0-0
Platlinson Warner jun refusing to serve as Constable	5-0-0
Benjamin Darr refusing to serve as Constable	3-0-0
Caleb Pool refusing to serve as Collector	3-0-0

Boston Aug 9 1729 74

Received of the Trustees of Gloucester one hundred & twenty
Pounds two Shillings Their fourth fifth part of the
Loose Loan by the hand of Mr. Samuel Stevens one
of said Trustees by order of Ser. Allen & Treasurer

L120-2 -

Eben Swan

November 19 1730 At Annetting of The selectmen
There was Committed To Constable David Plummer a
Parte of a Province Tax To pay into Jeremiah Allen & Treasurer
Province Treasurer or his Successer in said office the sum of Thirty
nine pounds Twelve Shillings and nine Pence To be paid
into sd Treasurer at on or before the Last Day of May in said
the next year 39-12-9

At the meeting above sd There was Committed To
Constable Paul Soliver a parte of a Province Tax amount
ing in the whole to sixty two pounds sixteen Shillings &
ten pence of which he is to pay To the Province Treasurer
forty and five pounds Eighteen Shillings and one penny: and the
other plus which is sixteen pounds sixteen Shillings and nine
pence: To heather with a parte of a Town Tax amounting to
forty and five pounds and one Shilling and Eight pence which
he is to Levy and Collect and To pay into Gov James Davis Town
Treasurer or his Successer in said office at on or before the first
day of January Next in said the next year

At the meeting above sd There was Committed unto Constable
John Day a list of a Province Tax to Collect amounting to the sum
of thirty ~~one~~ pound sixteen Shillings and five pence which he is to
pay into the Province Treasurer according to sd Treasurer's warrant
as also a Town list of a Town Rate amounting to the sum of Twenty
one pound sixteen Shillings and five pence which he is ordered to Collect
and pay into Gov James Davis Town Treasurer or his Successer in sd office
at on or before the first day Next ensuing the date here of

At the meeting above sd an order a list of a Town Rate was
Committed unto David Plummer one of the constables for the present
year amounting to the sum of Twenty eight pound six Shillings and
five pence which he is ordered to Collect and pay in to Gov James Davis
Town Treasurer or his Successer in sd office at on or before the first
Day of January Next ensuing the date here of

as also James Withlam Refusing to serve Collector - 3 - 0 - 0
Joseph Winslow refusing to serve Collector - 3 - 0 - 0

75 At a meeting of the select December 31: 1730
Then a warrant was sent to Mr. Paul Golever one of the Constables
of Gloucester for the year: 1730: to warn the persons hereafter -
Names to Depart this Town and to Return from where they Come
viz: John Harris and his wife and family Resident at the House
of Isaac Marsh and Peter Rennie and his family Resident at the
House of James Aynel and Ephraim Ashton and wife & family
and Joseph Galle and wife and family Resident at the House
of John Combs. and Samuell Striker and his wife and family
and Samuell Symonds Resident at the House of Simeon Stevens, Junr
and John Rodes and his wife and family and Shippin. Hally
and his family and Benjamin Oake and his family Resident
at the House of Frances James as also Andrew King and Mary
family Resident at the House of Symonds Lowry as also Isaac
Bulle and his wife and family Resident at the House of Steven
(Leigh)

At a meeting of the select men February 9: 1730/1
Then a warrant was sent to Doct^r David Plumer to warn the -
General person hereafter named to Depart this Town and Return
from where they Came viz: Marmadock Snow and family at the
House of Samuell Stevens Deceased: Sam^r Boden and family at the
House of Peter Wiers. William Coffren and family at the House of
William Milbary: Georg Johnson and family at the House of Samuell
Clarke and Henry Tucker and family at the House of Samuell
at the House of Ebenezer Stanwood Deceased. Christopher Bube and family
at the House of Samuell Stevens Junr and John Rouse and family at
the House of William Elwell

At a meeting of the select men February 16: 1730/1
Then warrants were written to warn a General Town meeting on Tuesday the
second day of march next in being the Date hereof by Chuse Town officers
for the year ensuing as the Town Directs and also to confirm Town Highway laid
out by the select men if they be cause -

These gives you notice that Mr Joseph Haskell Sen of
Gloucester yeoman has given a bond and has obliged
himself to indemnifie the Town from any charges that
may arise by Reason of John Pollard and many his
wife and two children Francis and Mary taken in as
Tenants by a bond bearing Date february 13- 1730
The bond is given to the Town Treasurer -

At a meeting of the Selectmen November 17. 1735 Then a warrant
was ordered to Constable Nathaniel Bray to warn Thomas Groten
to Depart this Town for all with

at a meeting of the select men February 1: 1731/2
Then a warrant was sent to Mr James parsons one of the constables of Gloucester
for the year 1731: to warn Samuell Jones Resident at the House of Francis Din
Flecks also John Batten Resident at the House of Job Denning as also
Burros and family living on 120 Coys place and also
Residing at Mr Plimmon warners forthwith to Depart this Town
and Return to the place from where they Come and Inquire when they
first Come in to this Town

At a meeting of The Selectmen Aprils 1731 Then Porpoised the
Highways in This Town to the several Surveyors for the Ensuing year
Mr Caleb Woodbury Porpoition of High ways is as followeth: viz all the high
ways Northeastly from the head of Hogskin Cove Including the Northley
Bridge at the head of said Cove till you come to the Southerly side of Pigeon
hill Pasture to Squam Precinct Line and all persons and Assenters within
said Limits when Legally warned are to attend said Survey at the Law Direct

John Tucker Junior his Porpoition of High ways to amend is as followeth: viz all the
high ways Northley from the Bridge between his place being in Squam precinct line to the
Bridge as so till you come to the Northley Bridge at the head of Hogskin Cove called and
all persons and Assenters belonging between said Limits Legally qualified to work on High
ways when Legally warned are to attend said Survey at the Law Direct

Mr Elias Davis his Porpoition of Highways to amend is as followeth: viz Northley
from his house to Squam precinct line and Southley from his house to the High way that
leads from the meeting house to said mill and all the High way between the mill called Kings
mill to William Smallmans and all the High way within said Bound and all persons and
Assenters within said Limits Legally qualified to work on High way when Legally warned are to attend said
Survey at the Law Direct

Mr Samuel Hogskin his Porpoition of Highways to amend and look after is as followeth
viz all the High way on the Town Neck so called Northley and Westley from the meeting house
and all persons and Assenters within said Limits Legally qualified to work on High way Except the
Insign Thomas Alins when Legally warned are to attend said Survey at the Law Direct

Capt John prime his Porpoition of Highways to amend and look after is as followeth: viz
Eastley from the cut to the foot of Ross Hill so called and Northley as the way leads to the meeting
house and as the way leads by Insign Thomas Alins toward the woods toward Sandy Bay so far
till you come to the way that leaveth from Sandy Bay to Mr Thomas Witham or also at High
ways lying within said Limits and all persons and Assenters within said Bound are to attend
said Survey when Legally warned

Mr Ebenezer Dole his Porpoition of Highways to amend and look after is as followeth: viz
the Low Bottom precinct line to the head of Sandy Bay and thence as the way leaveth toward the
woods to Mr Thomas Witham thence as the way leaveth toward the Harbor so far as a wheel
of John Browns orchard and from Mr Thomas Witham Eastley to Little Harbor and from
Naughton's barn and thence as the way leaveth till you come to the head of Sandy Bay about
and all people and Assenters within said Limits Legally qualified to work on High way when Legally warned are to attend
said Survey at the Law Direct

Mr Samuel Parsons his Porpoition of Highways to amend and look after is as followeth
viz all the High way on the Westley side of the cut to the precinct line and all persons and
Assenters within said Bound Legally qualified to work on High way when Legally warned are to attend
said Survey at the Law Direct

Elihu Parsons his Porpoition of Highways to Amend and look after are as followeth
that is to say all the Highways Eastley from Ross Hill so called to the head of the harbor
thence Northley as the way leaveth to the Eastward of John Browns house to a hollow
between John Browns orchard and all the Highways on Easton point to the Southward of Little Harbor
from John Browns orchard and all persons and Assenters within said Limits Legally qualified to work on Highways
when Legally warned are to attend said Survey at the Law Direct

Mr Nathaniel Smiths Porpoition of Highways to amend and look after is as followeth: viz
from his house to Munchies line as the Road goeth and Eastley to the precinct line
to the landing place and Northley to the precinct meeting house and persons and Assenters
within said Limits including Capt Eschick and family and William Munin qualified to work
on High ways when Legally warned are to attend said Survey at the Law Direct

Mr Joseph Herrick his Porpoition of Highways to amend and look after is as followeth: viz
from his house as the way leaveth to Hogskin Cove and from his house to Mr Ebenezer Hascall
and from his house to the precinct meeting house and from his house to the precinct line
as the Road goeth till you come to the Westley side of a Bridge that is a little to the Westward of
Josiah Hascall's house and all the Highways that are to the Westward of the River and toward Bound
persons are to amend and keep in Repair and all persons and Assenters within said Limits Legally
qualified to work on Highways when Legally warned are to attend said Survey at the Law Direct

Mr Joseph Herrick his Porpoition of Highways to amend and look after is as followeth: viz
from the precinct meeting house to the Westley side of the Bridge that is between John Higgs
and Josiah Hascall and all the Highways that are between said meeting house and
said Bridge and Josiah Hascall and all persons and Assenters within said Limits Legally qualified to work
on Highways when Legally warned are to attend said Survey at the Law Direct

77 At a meeting of the Selectmen September 1731
The an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer
To Colm one hundred and forty Pounds of the Towns
money that is out at use to pay the School master
and our County Rate and other Contingent charges
arising within this Town this year

At a meeting of the Selectmen November 10 1735 - There
was committed to Constable James parson a part of a Province
Tax amounting in the hole to Seventy eight pounds one shilling and ten
pence of which sum he is to pay to Mr Jeremiah Allen Esq Province
Treasurer or his successor in said Office Seventy one pound and seven shillings
and the over plus is five pounds fourteen shillings and ten pence which
He is ordered to Collect and pay into Mr James Davis Town Treasurer or
his Successer in said office. At or before the Last day of May next -
At the meeting above said There was committed to Constable Piddation
Day a part of a province Tax amounting in the hole to fifty one
pound and five shillings and three pence which he is ordered to Collect
and pay into Jeremiah Allen Esq Province Treasurer the sum of
forty and five pounds - and the over plus is five pounds
and eight shilling and three pence which he is ordered to Collect
and pay into Mr James Davis Town Treasurer or his Successer in
said office at or before the Last day of May next

as also there was committed to Constable Nathaniel Gray
a part of a province Tax amounting in the hole to thirty seven
pound eleven shillings and five pence of which sum he is to pay
to Mr Jeremiah Allen Esq the sum of thirty three pounds and
Nine shillings and four pence. and the over plus which
is four pound two shillings and one pence - which he is ordered
to Collect and pay into Mr James Davis Town Treasurer or his
Successer in said office at or before the Last day of May next

At the meeting above said there was committed the over
plus of the province Tax to Mr James Davis Town Treasurer
The sum in each Constables hand In Constable
James Parsons — — 6 14 10 — In Constable Piddation
Days — — — 5 8 3 In Constable Nathaniel
Grays — — — 4 2 1 which they are order to pay
into the Town Treasurer at or before the Last day of May
next Aensring a date

At a Meeting of the Select Men March 20. 173 $\frac{1}{2}$
The Proportion of High Ways to of Severall Surveyors was agreed to
be as follows viz to
Mr John Stanford All the high Ways within the Lines of Squam
Precinct & Oak Days Work on the Way between Mr Thomas Riggs
House & Squam Line. To

Mr Benjamin Tar from the Brook by the House of Mr John Brown dec: including the Bridge over said Brook to Mr Thomas Williams, thence thro the Woods, to Sandy Bay, & along to Pigeon Hill & Squam Precinct Line, and from Sandy Bay round the Cape as the Road goes to J. L. Williams House & to work one Day on the New Road, from Mr James Dykes to Gebaccho. To

Mr James Sayward, All the High Ways on Eastern Point; and from thence along by the Head of the Cove to the Hill by the House of Mr Thomas Sanders Jun: & from said Head of Cove to the Place Where the Ways meet, between Little good Harbour & Stark nought Harbour Morfles; and from said Head of Cove to y Brook by the House of Mr John Brown dec: & to work one Day with all his Hands on the New Way from Mr James Dykes to Gebaccho. To

Mr Philemon Warner Jun: All the High Ways from the Hill by Mr Thomas Sanders Jun: House to the Cutt thro the Harbour and from thence to the Meeting House, thence by Mr Thomas Allen's to the Place Where the high Ways meet by the Fresh Marsh including the Bridge by the fulling Mill & the Way from Mr Nymphas Stacy's, Along by Mr Wallis's to y Way from the fulling Mill to y fresh Marsh, also to work one Day with all his Hands on the new Way from Mr James Dykes to Gebaccho. - To

Mr Ebenezer Davis all the Highways upon the Town neck to the meeting house and to work one Day on Gebacco side in the new way

Mr Tho mas Riggs Jun: his proportion is from the fulling mill bridge to annesquam precinct Line and all the high ways on the easterly sid of the mill near to the road lots and to work one day on Gebacco side in the new way To

Mr James Sawyer All the Highways from the Cutt Westward To the Precinct Line on Gebacco side, & to work one Day with all his Hands on the new Way from Mr James Dykes to Gebaccho. To

Mr John Millet all the high Ways in the Precinct westerly to Manchester Line, & Easterly to the Precinct Line & y Landing Place as the Way leads, & to y Precinct Meeting House as the Way leads, & in the New Way as far as the east end of Josiah Kent's Pasture and all persons bound by said Meeting House including Cpl Isaac Eveleth & Family are liable to work on y Ways when legally warned. To

Mr Daniel Haskell, All the high Ways from Ipswich Line to the Precinct Meeting House & to the Bridge between Mr Josiah Haskell & Mr John Riggs & from the Saw Mill to Josiah Kent's in the upper Way. To

Mr Thomas Gray Jun: the high ways from the ferry to upper Grays Barn and by Joseph Pericks to the meeting house and beginning the west side of the Creek bet Ebenezer John Riggs and Josiah Haskell and by Jackson Benjamin Haskell to Mr Henry Haskell and all the to annesquam river - - -

At a meeting of the select men March 6. 1731/2 Then a warrant was sent to me
palestiah Day one of the Constables of Gloucester to warn Love Parker and her child
Resident at Daniel Goffs or where she may be found to Depart out of this Town and
the Enquirer and know when she came to Town and to make Return of your Doings therein
to one of the select men as soon as may be

Commitment to Lieut Nathaniel Ellery Town Treasurer
at a meeting of the select men March 20 1731/2 there was
committed to Lieut Nathaniel Ellery five pounds paid by Ezebel
Woodward jun he refused to serve Constable — 5 0 0
and three pounds in a note of hand from Mr Benjamin Averil
he refused to serve Collector — 3 0 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men March 25. 1732
Abated to Mr Nathaniel Ellery Eight Shillings for one head
under Age in the year Seven hundred & twenty nine — 8 0
transferred to his last Post of a Book

At a Meeting of the select men April 10. 1732
Comitted to Lieut Nath: Ellery Town Treasurer twenty
Shilling a fine on Mr Joseph Allen jun^r, refusing to serve as
Hog-Reeve this year — 1 0 0

~~At the Meeting of the select men who were chosen a~~
At the Meeting of the select men April 10. 1732, The Committee appointed for that
purpose made up Accounts with Mr James Davels late Town
Treasurer and found in his Hands in Bills, Notes, And
Money, and in the Constables Hands Two hundred and
two pounds nineteen ^{in committee} Shillings and three pence which
was then ordered to Lieut Nathaniel Ellery chosen Town
Treasurer At y^e last Anniversary March Meeting.
L 202-19-3

At a Meeting of the select men June 25. 1732 Comitted to
Lieut Nathaniel Ellery Town Treasurer a bond from Mr John
Haskall yeoman wherein he is bound to defend the Town
of Gloucester from being at any Charge for the support of his
Sister Mary Haskall

At the Meeting aforesaid
There was committed to Constable Dierzer Parsons a Part of the Town
Rate amounting to the Sum of one hundred and twenty pounds & seven shillings
and five pence which he is ordered to pay unto Lieut. Nathaniel
Ellery Town Treasurer or his Successor in said Office at or before the
first Day next September ensuing the Date hereof L 120-17-5

At the same Meeting
There was committed unto Constable William Young a Part of the Town
Rate to be collected by him amounting to the Sum of Seventy nine pounds
fourteen Shillings which he is ordered to pay unto Lieut. Nathaniel

Nathaniell Ellery Town Treasurer or his Successor in said Office⁸⁰
at or before the first Day of September next Ensuing the Date hereof
L. 79. 14. 0
At the said Meeting

There was committed unto Constable James Godfrey a Part of the
Town Rate, to be collected by him, amounting to the Sum of
fifty Six pounds nineteen Shillings and Eleven Pence which he
is ordered to pay unto Lieut: Nathaniell Ellery or his Successor
in said Office at or before the first Day of September next
ensuing the Date hereof L. 56. 19. 11

At a meeting of the Selectmen September 23 1732. There was

Committed to Constable Eleazer Parsons Part of a Province Tax
amounting to Eighty four Pounds Six & nine pence L. 84. 6. 9
Whereof he is ordered to pay to the Province Treasurer 70. 10. 0
And the Overplus L. 13. 15. 9 To Lieut Nath Ellery Town Treasurer
or Successor in said Office.

Then was committed Constable James Godfrey fifty five pounds fifteen
& a penny being a Part of the Province Tax whereof he is to pay to
the Province Treasurer ~~the sum of~~ ^{fourty six pounds ten shillings}

And the Overplus being L. 9. 5. 1 to J. Lieut Nath Ellery
Then was committed to Constable William Young James Godfrey
fourty one pounds seventeen & six pence part of a Province Tax
Whereof he is to pay unto the Province Treasurer L. 33. 19. 4.
And the Overplus L. 7. 18. 2 To J. Town Treasurer.

At A Meeting of the Select Men Nov^r 21. 1732

Mr James Godfrey entered into a Bond to the Town Treasurer of
Gloster The Penalty whereof was five hundred pounds, to secure the
Town from any Charge or Damage on Account of Ruth Miller
one of the poor maintained by said Town. And the said Select
Men of said Town entered into a Bond to draw an Order upon
the Town Treasurer for forty pounds a year & so proportionable
for any part of a year that the said Godfrey should keep J. Miller.
said order to be payable to said Godfrey.

Mem: Said Godfrey's Bond to the Treasurer was committed to said
Town Treasurer

At a Meeting of the Selectmen March 20 1732 1/2 The
proportion of high Ways to the Seuerall Surveyors was
agreed to be as follows viz to M^r Thomas Riggs all the high Ways
to the norwood of the pulling mill brook to mr Rings mill
and so all the high ways to the norwood as far as Squam
precook Lien and all the high ways to the Eward as they
Go in to the woods mr John Tucker Junior all the high ways to
the Norwood of the Squam precook Lien as far as Jacob Carters
house and so all the ways Down the neck to mr John
Ravens house

Mr. Samuill Linn: All the high Ways from Squam precinct
line at the South end of pigeon hill as they way. Goes on till
he come within six rods of Squam meeting house

Mr. Jonathan track All the high Ways from Manchester
line as far as the bridge that is to the Norwood of Mr
timothy Day. Junr in Cluding Mr Chas. Bells and the
new road throu the woods. to Mr haskalls mill

Mr. John Sargent All the high Ways from from the
cut westerly to the preancet Line and all the highways
within said bounds you are to work in the road that
Leads from James Dikes throu the woods to haskalls
Saw mill

Mr. William haskall all the high Ways from Ipswich Line
to the preancet Meeting house and to the bridge betw
Mr Josiah haskells and Mr John Riggs in Cluding
bridge and from the Saw mill to Josiah sent in the
upper Way

Mr. Josiah Ingerson all the high Ways on the Custom point
from East Corner house and till the Ways meet
that road which goes from Mr Jeffrey parsons to Mr
Grouers and work one one Day with all your
hands one the new Way from Mr James Dikes
to haskalls Saw mill

Mr. Caleb pool All the high Ways from the Squam
precinct line at pigeon hill a Long by your one house
to Mr Withoms fresh Marsh and to his house to Mr
Ebenezer Collinse and from Mr Withoms back by
Edward Grouers to John pools sandy Bay

Mr. Thomas pulcifer all the high Ways from the bridge
near the house of timothy Day Junr in Cluding
bridge to the meeting house in the preancet and
from thens. to the bridge between Mr John Riggs and
Mr Josiah haskalls from thens to anne Squam
river from Moses brays Down to Rod Bents ferry

Mr. Zephiah Allen all the high Ways upon the town
back to the southerly end of the meeting house
bridge and from the meeting house to the pulling
mill and to the southerly end of the pulling mill
Dam and bridge and so in to the woods to Mr
Withoms fresh marsh where the way parts
from the marsh so go to Mr Mr Bells house
in Cluding Mr Chas. Bells and all so to work
one Day with all your hands on the new road near

M^r Samuel Row. all the high way from M^r Ebenezer
 Collinss hous to Capt^t John Corner Sand than thro the
 Harbor and by the wind Mill As the Cutt and from
 thens a Long by Mr James vallis to the way that Lead
 from the meeting house to the Cape & from Mr Humphys
 Husys to the Meeting house bridge and to work on
 Day with all your hand upon the new high way

at a meeting of the select men may 7 1733 Comitted to
 The treasurer Lieut Nathaniel Ellery fifteen Pounds for by the
 several persons viz William Hasfall for Refused to serve Constable - 5 0 0
 John Hasfall Refusing to serve Constable - 5 0 0
 John Pool Refusing to serve Constable - 5 0 0
 15 0 0

at a meting of the select men may 21 1733
 than the select men posted a Cording to L^{ieut}
 Samuel Dawson and William Radon as Comon tiplers

At a meeting of the select men July 28 1733 Comitted
 to Constable John Colings ~~part of~~ a parte of the
 Towne Rate amounting to one hundred and twenty three pound
 5 and sixteen shillings and nine pence: which he is ordered to pay
 in to the Treasurer at on or before the last day of September
 next in June the date for of - 123 16 5

at a meeting of the selectmen august 30 1733 - Comitted to
 Constable John Colings a part of a province Tax amounting in
 the to sixty pounds and thirteen shillings & ten pence w^{ch} of
 he is ordered to pay to the Province Treasurer forty nine pounds
 one shilling and four pence and the overplus. which is eleven
 pound ~~thirteen~~ shillings and ~~nine~~ pence ordered to pay to Lieut Nathaniel
 Ellery Town Treasurer or successor in d^y office at or before the last of Septe
 mber next 11 12 6

Comitted to Constable Benjamin Foster a Part of the Town
 Tax amounting to twenty three Pound & nine Pence which he is
 Ordered to pay to Lieut Nath^l Ellery or Town Treasurer or
 Successor in d^y Office At or before the last day of Next
 September: Also A Part of the Province Tax amounting to
 thirty three Pound three Shillings & ten Pence, The Overplus
 of Which (besides w^{ch} he is ordered to pay to d^y Province Treasurer)
 being four Pound three Shillings & ten Pence he is ordered to
 pay to afores^d Town Treasurer or Successor at or before the
 for last Day of Next September.

83 At the afores^d Meeting of the Select Men Aug^r 30. 1733
There was committed to Constable Josiah Kent A Part of the
Town Tax amounting to fifty five Pounds & two Pence
which he is Ordered to pay to Mr Nathl Ellery Town Treas-
urer or Successor in ^{the} Office at or before the last Day of
next September

As Also a Part of the Province Tax amounting to the
Sum of twenty four Pounds nineteen & four Pence When
of he is ordered to pay the Province Treasurer twenty One
Pounds & the Overplus being three pounds nineteen & four
Pence he is ordered to pay to the afores^d Town Treasurer
or Successor at ^{the} Time aforesaid.

At A Meeting of the Select Men Nov^r 26. 1733
There was added to Constable Benjamin Tosters List of
the Province Rate the Sum of one pound one Shilling
& four Pence. £ 1. 1. 4
As also there was added to the said Constable Tosters List of
the Town Rate the Sum of one pound seventeen Shillings &
four pence of both which Sums there was then an Account
sent to ^{the} Town Treasurer £ 1. 17. 4.
And it is to be paid to ^{the} said Treasurer

At A Meeting of the Select Men Jan^r 1. 1733 —
There were abated To Constable William Young the following
Rates viz

James Huse	— 5. 0	Joseph Sargent	— 8. 4
Daniel Douglass	— 5. 0	Thomas Sargent	— 8. 4
John Stevens Jun ^r	5. 0	Total	£ 3. 5. 0
Caleb Eliwell	— 8. 4		
Robert Allen	— 8. 4		
Jonathan Day	8. 4		
John Regell	8. 4		

At the same Meeting of ^{the} Select Men An Order was drawn
upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Constable William Young
the Sum of three pounds five Shillings being the above written
Abatements & four Pounds Eight Shillings & two pence
for gathering Rates viz 132. 4. 1.
£ 7. 13. 2

At A meeting of the select men Juny 14. 1733 84

Then abated to Constable Jeams Godfrey the following Rates

viz: John Withers for wages 0-9-0
John Gilbird one head 0-8-4
Thomas Grotten 0-8-4
Hugh Grotten 0-8-4

Allowed to Constable Godfrey for working town off of it 0-9-0
also allowed to said Godfrey for procuring the lime 0-9-0
as also for gathering of the Rates viz 97-9-8 which is 3-5-0

At the same meeting of the select men an order was drawn upon the town treasurer to pay to Constable Jeams Godfrey the sum of five pounds five shillings & being for abatements and getting and for the rates above mentioned 5-7-0

At this meeting a case said there was a woman sent to Josiah Kent one of the Constables of Gloucester to receive Elisabeth Remuf and her child to depart that Town forthwith.

Doc. 1733. The Town Treasr Mr Nath Ellery recd five Pounds of the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions which was recovered of Benja Tar, chosen Constable in March 1732/ & refusing to serve, and was therefore complained of to the Sessions & his fine recovered. £5. 0-0

At A Meeting of the Select men March 22. 1732/4
the proportion of the high Ways to the Saverall Surveyers was a Gredon to be as follows. viz. to Mr George Dannon all the high ways in the Squam precinct
Mr Nathaniel Millet all the high Ways from Manchester Lion as the ways go to the bridge by Timothy Days inn
Mr David Stanwood all the high ways from his one house to rings mills and Gorthacks to the meeting house
Mr peletiah Day all the high Ways from the North Side of the pulling mill bridge by his one house to rings mills and so to the Squam precinct Lion and Stone
Mr William parsons all the The high Ways from the Goste by Risone house to the head of Little Deer and Down to prash water Cove. till he comes to the precinct Lion
Mr Samuill Row all the high Ways from the meeting of the high Way at the prash Marsh a Long by your one house to the house of Capt John Cornys and thence in to the harbor to Mr Jonathans Gingerbros house

- M^r Abraham Sanger all the High Ways from the present
 Meeting house to the bridge near Timothy Doss Innow in Clow
 Soil bridge and so down to Rodkins ferry and from S^t Meeting
 to mile Souam River and to the bridge between M^r John Riggs
 and M^r Josiah. haskels and all the ways with in S^t Linests
 M^r Ebenezer haskel all the high Ways from Ipswich Lien
 to the present Meeting hous and to the bridge between M^r John
 Riggs and M^r Joseph haskels in finding said bridge and the
 way from the widow Ingalls Land to the way that lead
 from the present meeting hous from Ipswich Lien
 M^r Jonathan Pool Whoreas you are chosen Suruador of the high ways
 for the year Enfuing your proportion shoud of 1/4 of Shew of
 from Souam Line to bridge hill round the Cape of the way lead
 as far as Mr Themoth Smiths throo the woods as the way lead
 to woods the town as for us the Clowen Rock
 M^r Daniel Smith Whole as you are chosen Suruador of high ways
 one the Eastern point to the hous of Capt John Furns & from
 hence as the way lead to the meeting of the ways and the weak
 Colled into the blind nowk
 M^r Nymphus Stacy Whoreas you are chosen Suruador of the high
 ways for the Enfuing year your proportion of is from
 the Clowen Rock near the bridge Marth to your one Long
 Along by the Meeting hous in finding the falling Mill bridge
 & all soe the way along by Mr Garner twelap & from your one
 house as the way lead to the salt & thence throo the hubber
 to Eldrys Coue & thence back as the way lead by Mr
 Jonathan Ingersolls & the wind mill to the New Bon Dam

Glocester April 6th 1734

At a Meeting of y^e Select Men

The Select Men of Glocester made up with M^r Nathaniel
 Ellery Town Treasurer & there was due to y^e Town the Sum
 of Eighteen Pounds Seven Shillings & three pence from

And
 Sum By John Matchett refusing to give Constable Cash £2. 18. 7. 3
 April 8th And there was in y^e Soverall Constables hands hereafter named
 the following Sums viz.

Cous. Eleazer Parsons	£ 32. 13. 2
W ^m . Young	21. 14. 5
John Collins	97. 11. 7
Bonja Foster	40. 19. 9
Josiah Kent	23. 9. 6
John Gilbert	12. 6
James Parsons	14. 1
Carry'd over	£ 236. 2. 3

brought Over	£ 236 - 2 - 3
Joseph Gardners Bond	5 - 0 - 0
Daniel Harts Bond	22 - 0 - 0
Philmon Warner	2 - 5 - 0
Benja ^a Summingham	2 - 15 - 0
John Sargents	2 - 3 - 8

April 29. 1734 At a Meeting of the Select Men
There was allowed to Mr Nathl Ellery late Town Treasurer
Sixteen pounds for his service as Treasurer. And he having
paid 62 7 s. since & reckoning April 6th Current & received
~~there was due from him~~ 5^l of John Matchett there
was due from him One pound & three pence which of said
late Treasurer paid to Capt Joseph Allen & present Treasurer
& delivered the Treasurers Books to him

At a Meeting of the Select Men May 20 1734
than Committed to Capt Joseph Allen Town Treasurer
five pound which Mr Joseph Allen Juner payed
for Deputes to take the Oath of Constable to which
of c. he was Chos to this present year 1734

At a Meeting of the Select Men May 27th 1734.
There was committed to Constable Samuel Hodgkins a List
of all Part of the Town Rate amounting to the sum of one
hundred and fifty four Pounds one Shilling & five pence
To Constable Benjamin Foster another Part of the Town Rate
amounting to one hundred and one pound sixteen Shillings
and Six pence
To Constable Mark Haskell another Part of the Town
rate amounting to Seventy Eight ^{Pounds} Eleven Shillings and
Three pence. All Which sum the respective Constables
are respectively ordered to pay in to the Town Treasurer
Capt Joseph Allen ^{or his Successor} ~~or before~~ before the last day of next
September. Totall £ 334. 10. 2

At a Meeting of the Select Men July 29 1734
than a Agreement was made with Mr Parker
Mors to keep the publick Scule in this town
the year in Suering for Seventy pounds in pious
Bills to be paid to Mr Mors quarterly
Parker Mors

87 At a Meeting of the Select Men Sept. 10th 1734

There was committed to Constable Samuel Hodgkins and a Part of the Province Rate the whole List committed to him being amounting to the Sum of one hundred thirty Eight Pounds Eleven Shillings & Eight Pence Whereof he is to pay to the Province Treasurer the Sum of One hundred & Eighteen Pounds twelve Shillings & Eight Pence, And the Overplus being nineteen Pounds nineteen Shillings he is ordered to pay to Cap^t Joseph Allen Town Treasurer or Successor inst inst Office and Return is made to the P^r Town Treasurer Accordingly.

There was committed to Constable Benjamin Foster a Part of Province Rate amounting to ninety nine Pounds sixteen Shillings & three pence Whereof he is ordered to pay ninety three pounds & three pence to the Town Treasurer before the last of this Instant September

To Constable Mark Haskell a Part of the Province Rate amounting to the Sum of Seventy one Pound twelve Shillings & ten Pence Whereof he is ordered to pay to the Province Treasurer Sixty six pounds & the Overplus to y^e Town Treasurer before the last Day of this Instant September. And Returns are made to the Town Treasurer Accordingly.

At the same Time there was added to Constable Benjamin Foster's List of the Town Rate the Sum of five pounds four Shillings and nine pence.

To Constable Samuel Hodgkins and's List of the Town Rate twenty seven Shillings & Six Pence.

To Constable Mark Haskell's List of y^e Town Rate sixteen Shillings & Six Pence.

Overplus of y^e Province Rate committed to y^e Constables

Hodgkins is	19.	19.	0
To Jos. Foster.	6.	16.	3
To Capt Haskell	5.	12.	10

At a Meeting of the Select Men March 13. 1734
Mr Elias Davis Note of Hand for twenty Shillings to y^e Select Men bearing Date June 22. 1733 was assigned to y^e Town Treasurer.

~~At a Meeting of the Select Men March 18. 1734~~

At a meeting of the Select men March 18 1734
Joseph Gergents Proportion of the High ways is as follows
folloeth from Rows mill to the cut as the ways Leads to y^e pasture fence Excluding mr Rymphance Stace and the person here after named Thomas Allen jun Gregory Severy James aueral James Edgely Thomas Sawyer Isaac prom ce Ebenezer Jones James Gabson Benjamine Boienton Joseph Boienton William Stevens Josiah Fewet James Groons John Stevens Robert pool all the persons and teams in said Limits except thes here named are at your command

at a meeting of the Select men March 18 1734⁸⁸ The High ways Proportioned to the several Jurayers as followeth

Mr Thomas Withams is from the meeting of the high ways at the fresh marsh by your house to the meeting of the ways at Salt Island neck and from your house to Rowell is your Limits

Mr John Parsons proportion of the high ways is from the Cut to the west precinct line all the in these Limits

Mr Henry Hasball proportion of the High ways is from your house to the meeting house and from your house to the west of Deacon Benjamin Hasballs and from your house to the ferry and to the passing of the ways near Moses Greys and all the high ways to the East road of the Limits to Anasquam river--

Mr Josiah Hasballs proportion of the High ways is from your house to the meeting house and all the High ways to Ipswich Line is his

Mr Luck Morgan proportion of the high ways is from the precinct line to Manchester line all the high ways to the west precinct meeting house in the way is. - - -

Mr Jabez Backers proportion of the high ways is from your house thru the woods as far as the parking of the ways by Mr Withams fresh marsh and from your house the west side of Startmaught harbor river and from your house to piggon hill pasture is your Limits -

Mr Zerubbabel Allens proportion of the High ways is the North side of the meeting house all the high ways upon the Town Neck

Mr Caleb Woodbury proportion of the High ways is from Queens precinct line at piggon hill to Plum Cove is his Limits - - -

Mr Josiah Davis proportion of the High ways is from the Brook at the head of Plum Cove to Queens precinct line by John Backers house and all the high ways in said Limits

Mr Ezekiel Dags proportion of the High ways is from the parking of the ways near Mr Withams fresh marsh to the falling mill and to the high way that leads from Mr Kings mill into the woods including Solomon Davis and palatial Bay and from the falling mill by James Wollis to the Reverend Mr. White including Mr Wymstace and to your one house and to the falling mill again. Including the persons hereafter named viz
Gregory Severy Thomas Allen jun Anna Averal James Cabson James Edgeley Thomas Sawyer Ebenezer Jones John Steven Benjamin Bojenton Joseph Bojenton William Stevens Josiah Edwett Robert Pool Josiah Jewett James Broome Nathaniels Sawyer and his Son John Low Stephen Robinson and son Isaac Prince

89 At a meeting of the Select men March 18 1734/5
High ways Proportioned to the Surveyors.

111 Stephen James Proportion of the Highways is as
selects all the Highways upon Eastern point to Cap
John Cornys and Cap Thomas Sanders and to Starknights
harbour river and to make a bdy over the river show
the westward of Charles Coils -

112 Benjamin Cunninghams proportion of the High way
the high ways by your house to run Kings mill and to
the North precinct line and all the high ways into the woods
in the limits.

April the 1st 1735 There was committed to Capt Joseph
Allen Town Treasurer five Pounds being the fine of
Thomas Cannaby refusing to serve Constable he having
been chosen to that Office by the Town in the last March
Meeting. £ 5-0-0

At a meeting of the select men May 19 1735
a warrant was sent to the Constables to return a bdy
and was to depart out of this Town

May of 14 1735 There was committed to Capt Joseph Allen
Town Treasurer the Fine of David Stanwood sum of 8 of
Francis Norwood being in the whole ten pounds for not
serving as Constables to which Service they were chosen £ 10-0-0
There was likewise Seven pounds five Shillings being fe-
verall fines on severall persons for Breach of Law
taken by Esqrs Sargents Justice of Peace in May & October
in y^e Year 1734 Comitted to the said Treasurer £ 7-5-0

October the 7 1735 Then agreed with Mr
Aron Smith - to keep a grammar School as also to
teach the Street Children to read and write in this Town
Nine months from this day. He is to receive for his
Services the sum of fifty two Pounds ten Shillings
Gloster octob 7 1735

Aron Smith

At a Meeting of the Select Men March 2. 1735
Added To Constable Hadley's List of the Town and Province Rate
five Pounds six Shillings Whereof a Return was made to the Town.
Treasurer. £ 5-6-0

At a meeting of the select men october 10th 1735

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There was Committed to Constable John Hedley a part of the Province Rate the whole List comitted to him amounting to the sum of two hundred and nine pounds seven shillings and one penny whereof he is to pay to the Province Treasurer two Hundred Pounds: and the overplus which is nine pounds and seven shillings and one penny: he is ordered to pay to Cap Joseph Allen Town Treasurer or Successor in said Office: as also a Town Tax amounting to the sum of fifty eight pounds three shillings and six pence: he is ordered to pay there was committed to Constable Thomas Riggs jun a Part of a Province Tax amounting to the sum of one hundred and thirty four pounds and four shillings and ten pence: whereof he is ordered to pay to the Province Treasurer one Hundred twenty eight pounds and four shillings and eight pence: and the over plus which is six pounds and two pence he is ordered to pay into our Town Treasurer as also a sum of six pounds and ten shillings and one penny: he is ordered to pay into said Treasurer or Successor in said Office at on or before the last Day of December next: and Returns made of the above named Constables to the Town Treasurer accordingly.

To Constable Joseph Horrick was Committed a part of a Province Tax amounting to the sum of ninety three pounds and nine shillings and seven pence whereof he is ordered to pay to the Province Treasurer ninety pounds and ten shillings and the over plus which is four pounds and fifteen shillings & seven pence he is ordered to pay into our Town Treasurer as also a part of a Town Tax to the sum of twenty seven pounds fifteen shillings and two pence: he is ordered to pay into said Treasurer or Successor in said Office at on or before the last Day of December next and a Return made to the Treasurer accordingly.

At a Meeting of the Select Men Nov^r 6th 1735

There was added to Constable Joseph Horricks Lists One Pound nine Shillings and a Penny whereof a Return was made to Cap^t Joseph Allen Town Treasurer or Successor in said Office.

At a Meeting of the Select Men March 31. 1736

There was committed to Joseph Allen Esq^r Town Treasurer Seventeen Pounds being the Tines of Joseph Coward and Ebenezer Barchosen constables for the current year and of William Hilton chosen Constable for next year & of William Ironwood chosen Tything Man for the current year and all of them refusing to serve in the Office to which they were respectively chosen

At a Meeting of the Select Men August 4th 1736

A List of a Part of the Town Rate in the Southerly Ward amounting to one hundred & fifty Pounds six shillings and three pence was made & Committed to Constable Ebenezer Pulci: being to be paid to the Town Treasurer on or before the last Day of October next.

£ 150. 6. 3

At a meeting of the Select Men August 4th 1736
 A List of Part of Town Rate in the Northward amounting
 to Seventy Eight Pounds Eleven Shillings & five Pence was made &
 committed to Constable Thomas Riggs jun^r to be collected & to be collected
 and paid to Joseph Allen Esq^r Town Treasurer or Successor on or before
 the last Day of October next
 78-11-9

At a Above Meeting
 A List of Part of Town Rate in the westerly Ward amounting
 to Sixty Six Pounds four Shillings was made and committed to
 Constable Josiah Haskell to be collected & paid to Joseph Allen
 Esq^r Town Treasurer or Successor on or before the last Day of
 October next
 66-4-0

At a Meeting of the Select Men September 14th 1736 Committed to
 Constable Ebenezer Telford A List of part of A prowd tax the Southward Amounting to
 the sum of two hundred & six pounds twelve shillings & eight
 pence and according to such warrant as you shall receive from
 the Treasurer or Successor of your said Ward to pay in to Joseph
 Allen Esq^r Town Treasurer or Successor on or before the last Day of
 October next & mark up an A Compt of your Collections of the same plus
 before the said Day a Copying to the direction of your warrant.

At a meeting of the Select Men September 14th 1736
 then committed to Constable Ebenezer Telford A List of
 part of the prowd tax Amounting to two hundred &
 twenty one pound fourteen shillings & one pence and a Copying
 to such warrant as he shall receive from the Treasurer
 or Successor of your said Ward to pay in to Joseph Allen Esq^r
 his Successor on or before the last Day of October next & mark
 up an A Compt of your Collections of the same plus
 before the said Day according to the direction
 of his warrant.

At the Meeting Above then committed to Constable
 Josiah Haskell A List of part of A prowd tax of the
 Northward amounting to Ninety Eight pounds & one
 pence and a Copying to such warrant as he shall receive
 from the Treasurer or Successor of your said Ward to pay in the same

Then committed to Custable Aaron Riggs
A List of perch of A previous tax Amounting to ^{one} hundred
and twenty pounds thirteen shillings and pence
and According to such account as ^{the} ~~the~~ ^{shall} ~~shall~~ ^{Refuse}
from the province treasurer William Fox Esq
he is ordered to pay in the same

At a meeting of the Select Men March 1: 1776
There was committed to Joseph Allen Esq Town Treasurer
Josiah Parsons his Promissory Note dated Dec: 9: 1771
for nine pounds four shillings to the Select Men of
the Town of Gloster.

At a Meeting of the Select Men April 4: 1777.

It is Ordered that

Capt. Nathaniel Ellery's Proportion of the High Wayes begun
Meeting of the High Wayes upon Salt Island neck up to the head of the
Harbour including all the High Wayes upon the Eastern Point including
John Saunders Jun: & from the Head of the Harbour as the Wayes
to the Calt & back again from the Calt up to the Meeting House up to
Meeting House Bridge Excluding of Symonds Low Nathaniel Sawyer
& Joseph Sargent with their Families & all Persons with Teams & Cattle
are to attend Service when legally warned.

Ezekiel Dyer's Proportion of the High Wayes All the High
Wayes from the Meeting House Bridge including it down to the ferry & back
thence to the Meeting of the High Wayes by Pauls so called & from the said
Meeting House Bridge to the west End of the field Marsh & back thence over
the falling Mill Bridge up by Benjamin Remycomb, as far as the Way
goes into of Woods Excluding Solomon Davis & Pelatiah Dyer & Families &
taking in the Way from Symphas Stacy's by Mr Wallis & including
Nathaniel Sawyer Symonds Low & Lieut. Joseph Sargent.

Abraham Davis's Proportion of the High Wayes
from Hammonds Point so called by Pauls so called to Mr. Riggs Mills
& from of Mill Dam on of Eastern Side by Lieut. James Davis's to the
Meeting of the High Wayes by Pelatiah Dyer's and from of Glen Dam by Mr.
Parish Davis to Squam Parish Line & from of Dam by the Stage of the
Benet's as far as the High Way goes & all Persons are to attend Service
when legally warned within said Limits.

Joseph Handon's Proportion of the High Wayes
from Hammonds Point so called to Squam Parish Line by John Tucker's
& from Squam Precinct Meeting House by Benjamin Davis's including
him & Family thence into of Woods as far as the High Way goes & from
of Meeting House by Samuel Griffen Jun: as far as the High Way goes.

Benjamin Davis's to Squam Parish Line as said Way leads. —

John Jacob Enselth's Proportion of the high Ways
of the high Ways from Manchester Line within of western Precinct Line
to the Parting of the high Ways by James Dyke's & thence to Haskell Saw:
mill & from said Dykes by the Meeting House to a Meeting of the Ways
by the Skoll's Bridge.

James Sawyer's Proportion of the high Ways
of the high Ways from the Cutt to the West Precinct Line both
easterly & westerly.

Samuel Herrick Junr's Proportion of the high Ways
of the high Ways from Hodgkins Ferry to a Meeting of the Ways by
John Bray's & thence as the Way leads to Coffins Farm & thence
to the same Line as the Ways go.

John Tarr's Proportion of the high Ways
from the West End of the Upper Fresh Marsh as a Way runs to Pigeon Hill
to or Squam Parish Line & back from thence along by Mr Bakers &
Mr Grover's & Mr Jeffery Parson's to the Meeting of the Ways by a
Fresh Marsh & back from thence to the Head of the Harbour including
all the Inhabitants on each Side of the high Way together with Joseph
Witham.

At a Meeting of Select Men of Haverster Nov^r 7th 1737.
There was committed to Constable Thomas Riggs a Part of a Town
Rate amounting to two hundred and thirty one Pounds thirteen
Shillings and four Pence 231. 13. 4

And the Overseers of a Part of a Province Rate Eighteen
Pounds two Shillings & ten Pence 18. 2. 10

There was committed to Constable Daniel Haskell a Part
of a Town Rate amounting to sixty three Pounds five
Shillings and six Pence all which they are ordered 63. 5. 6
to pay in to Joseph Allen Esquire Town Treasurer or Successor
in said Office on or before the first Day of December next
and Return made to said Treasurer accordingly.

At the same Meeting Nov^r 7th 1737.
There was committed to Constable Thomas Riggs a Part of a
Province Tax amounting to five and four Pounds fourteen
Shillings & five Pence including & above written Eighteen Pounds
two Shillings & ten Pence which is a Part of his List
more than he is to pay to a Treasurer of the Province.
There was committed to Constable Daniel Haskell a Part
of a Province Rate amounting to one hundred & forty
two Pounds Eleven Shillings and two Pence which is a Part of his List
excepting the above Eighteen Pounds two Shillings & ten Pence are to

to pay to the Province Treasurer according to such Warrant⁹⁴
as they shall receive from him & return made to said
Province Treasurer Accordingly.

At a Meeting of the select Men April 20 1738
said select Men being desired the high Wages to the Surveyors
Surveyors as follows

James Lovell's Proportion of the high Wages is all the high
Wages in the westerly Parish or Precinct

which Thomas Allen's Proportion of the high Wages is
all the high Wages upon the great Neck from the Meeting of the
road from the same Neck to the Meeting of the high Wages in the
great Marsh & then and in the high Wages on the Eastern side of
the Mill Creek on a west line of the great Marsh to Aquem's Pond

Ensign John Sargent's Proportion is all the high Wages on
the west side of the great Neck west Parish or Precinct

Ensign William Sprague's Proportion is all the high Wages in Aquem's
Parish

Joseph Jayward's Proportion is all the high Wages upon the Eastern
side from thence to Littlegood Harbour River in the Bay & River
in from thence on the high Wages to the River's Mouth & then
from thence on the high Wages as the way goes to the Meeting
of the Wages by the great Marsh & back along by the same
to the Meeting of the Wages upon Salt Lake

John Paul's Proportion is from Green Hill & then round by
the Damond's Cove to Littlegood Harbour River and from the
same Place to the Meeting of the Wages by the great Marsh

John Rowan's Proportion is all the high Wages on the Eastern
side of the great Neck to the northerly End of the Meeting
of the Wages and all Persons liable to work on the high Wages
within each of these Limits are to attend said service with their Teams
and Tools when legally warned by the Surveyor within whose Limits
they are. On Joseph Allen Esq^r Justice of Peace within 7 Miles
of the said Limits as to this Proportion of high Wages.

May 31. 1738 At a Meeting of select Men
Comitted to Joseph Allen Esq^r Town Treasurer The Fines of Capt
Daniel Gibbs Nathl Sargent Job Lane & Joseph Smith for
not serving Constable to which Office they were chosen at March Meeting
and Samuel Stinson for not serving Collector to which Office he was
chosen at Legals Parish Meeting.

£ 23.0.0

95 In of Treasurer Joseph Allen Esq. Haver May 31. 1738
 Sixty four Pounds one Shilling & ten Pence in Cash $64 = 1 - 10$
 And in Several Constable Hands outstanding $321 = 8 = 5$
 as per Adjustment among & Draughts in & other
 Part of this Book Sign'd by J. Treasurer.

Sept 18 1738 Town Treasurer Debt to a General
 Due to the Town for the Use of Stage Week five years $800 = 0 = 0$
 this Parrying to a bond the next Entry below to the New Treasury.
 At a Meeting of the Select Men Octob^r 3rd 1738
 An Order was drawn upon Joseph Allen Esq. Town Treasurer or
 his Successor in f^d Office to pay to Dr David Allmer or his Order
 the Sum of Three Pounds in Order to his Supplying the Widow
 Hannah Day one of the poor of the Town with some necessaryes
 of Life

At the Meeting of the Select Men Octob^r 30th 1738
 There was committed to John Sargent Constable a Sum of
 fifteen Pounds nine Shillings & seven Pence the Overplus of his List
 of & Province Rate & To Constable Daniel Hapke of him of
 four Pounds four Shillings & two pence in Bills of & this
 Town being the Overplus of ^{his} List of & Province Rates
 which Sums they are Ordered to pay to Joseph Allen Esq.
 Town Treasurer or Successor on or before the second Day of
 February next v. 19. 13. 9

At a meeting of the Selectmen of Gloucester April 2 1739
 Then the accounts made up with Joseph Allen Esq.
 Former Treasurer and Delivered to Mr Daniel Witham
 Treasurer and Committed to him several Bonds

a Bond of Benjamin Cunningham	2	15	0
Phallimon Worcester	2	5	0
Joseph Gardner	5	0	0
John Sargent	2	3	8
John Gilbert	0	12	6
James Parson	0	14	1

and money due to the Town outstanding in
 Several Constables hands amounting to $244 = 2 = 0$
 and for the Hire of Stage Week for 8 years $42 = 0 = 0$
 Last past
 Received of Captallion in fines $3 = 10 = 0$

at a meeting of the select men April 2 1739 96 30
 A Compt. were posted with Joseph Allen Esq former Town
 Treasurer - and ~~paid~~ to him for 2 cask of bullet
 and the cask and fruit and potedge — — — 48 14 6
 and his share with 5 Reserves. — — — 15 13 8
 and for his service as Treasurer 5 year. — — — 40 0 0
 and for serving Town officer for several year. 3 0 0
 Paid for the Town by order from the select men. 22 0 5
 out of his one stock — — — 128 8 7

at a meeting of the select men April 3 1739
 on the Town Treasurer to pay to our own Smith fourteen pounds
 and eight shillings and six pence due to him for keeping School
 from October 17 to October 29 1739 last paid — 14 8 6

at a meeting of the select men June 25 1739
 an account of fines. Cap^m William Eleray paid — 5 0 0
 Zebulon Wilham paid five pound ^{ref^d to serv^t} 5 0 0
 Samuel Sayward paid 5 pounds ^{ref^d to serv^t} 5 0 0

at a meeting of the select men July 30 1739
 Here was committed to William King Constable the sum
 of Ninety one pounds Eighteen shillings and five pence a part
 of a Town Tax which he is ord^d to collect and pay into
 Mr Daniel Wilham Town Treasurer or Successor in said office at
 or before the thirtieth Day of October next 91 18 5

at the meeting a house so There was committed to Samuel
 Herrick Jun Constable of the West Precinct a List amounting
 to Sixty Three pounds sixteen shillings and ten pence he is
 Ord^d to pay into Daniel Wilham Town Treasurer or his suc-
 or in said office at or before the thirtieth Day of Octobe-
 er next in said & debt here of — — — 63 16 10
 and a return made to the Town of the sum at
 the same time

97 At a meeting of the Select men December 10 1739
The Towns Stock of ammunition is now six half
Barrels of powder and one thousand pound of Bullets
It is ordered by the Select men that Deacon William Haskell take
Care and keep one ^{half} Barrel of powder and one hundred and fifty
pound of Bullets for the Town use - as also ^{one} half Barrel
of powder and 150 pound of Bullets Committed to Corp James
Davis now to keep for the Town use

January 9 1739/40 Committed to Constable Henry Witham
~~the~~ ~~first~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~town~~ ~~tax~~ amounting to one hundred thirty ²
for ^{four} ^{eight} ^{shillings} ⁶ ^{pence} a part of the town tax
which he is to collect & pay into Mr Daniel Witham
town Treasurer or his successor in said office at or before the
first of March Insuing 1734-18:10

At a meeting of the Select men May 4th 1740
 When the account was made up with Doctor Daniel Witham
 former Treasurer and allowed to Joseph Allen Esq
 Treasurer and committed to him several Bonds

Bonja Kinacum Bond	-	-	-	£2-15-
Joseph Gardners Bond	-	-	-	2-00-
John Sargents Bond	-	-	-	2-05-8
Philomen Warner Bond	-	-	-	2-05-
John Gillbard	-	-	-	0-12-6
James Parsons	-	-	-	0-14-1

In the Constables hands

Thomas Riggs	-	-	-	£10-04-7
Ebenzer Pulsifer	-	-	-	8-07-
John Collins	-	-	-	18-19-9
Josiah Haschel	-	-	-	07-14-5
Daniel Haschel	-	-	-	4-09-10
William King	-	-	-	91-18-5
Samuel Hordeh	-	-	-	56-09-6
Honory Witham	-	-	-	92-07-10
By fines of adam Wheelman	-	-	-	3-00-00
By Jonathan Wallis fine	-	-	-	1-00-00
By Elias Ellwell fines	-	-	-	5-00-00
By Jacob Parsons fine paid to Doctor Witham	-	-	-	5-00-00

and it was accounted with Doctor Witham in making
 up with him May 4th 1740

At a meeting of the Select men October 16/1740
Then was Comitted to Constable Thomas Rigg a
part of a Town Rate amounting to thirty eight
pounds, ^{Eighteen} Shilings and one penny £38-18-1
and the overplush of the List of the
provinces Rate sixteen pounds, ^{Eighteen} Shilings
and five pence new Tenny. ^{Seventeen} - £16-11-5

At a meeting a bove said
Then was Comitted to Constable Ebenezer Day
part of a Town Rate amounting to thirty pounds,
six ~~two~~ Shilings and Ten pence - £30-6-10
and the overplush of ^{the} List of the provinces
Rate fifteen pound ^{two} Shilings & 9 pence - £15-12-9

At a meeting a bove said
Then was Comitted to Constable Joseph Littlehale
part of a Town Rate amounting to sixty one
pounds, ^{five} Shilings and seven pence £61-5-7
and the overplush of the List of the provinces
Rate ~~thirty~~ ^{thirty} pounds ^{new Tenny} - £29-1-3
Twenty nine pounds, one Shilling & 3 pence

At a meeting of the Select men february 11th 1740/41
then was Committed to Selector Joseph Littlehale ten
pounds eight Shilings & five pence new Tenny being an
overplush of a provance tase Committed to him and have
orderd him to pay the same to your Sel^r or Succ^r in said
offis at or before the first Day of may next £10-8-5

At a meeting of the Select March 30 1741
Mr David Plumes Survey^r of High ways with in this
own for the year in giving names for person thair of
is all the High ways upon the Gratt neck be
gining at the bridge ^{near} the old meeting house
and the high ways from Kings mill to the
northley parish line and all persons on the west
sid of the way from Kings mill a for said to the
said northley parish line and all o^r the ^{within} -

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The Selectmen had in march 30th 1791
high ways with beames and tools when legally worn

At a meeting of y^e Selectmen march 30th 1791
Mr Luke Morgan Surveyor of the high ways
for y^e ensuing year within this town -
your Proposition thereof is all the high ways in
Ketell Cove that are within y^e western Parish
& thence till you come to Littell River Bridge
And all persons within said limits are to attend
mending high way with beames & tools when
legally worn

At a meeting of y^e Select men march 31st 1791
Mr 6th moty Jay Surveyor of the high ways
Within this town for the ensuing year
your Proposition of y^e high ways is from the
Bridge at Littell River including said Bridge
to your one house and thence to the ferry -
And to the west meeting house & By ways
Drags to Joseph Henrichs in Clouding said Henrichs
And all persons within said limits are to
attend with mending high ways with
beames & tools when legally worn

at the same meeting of the Select men March 30 1791

Mr Joseph Conant Surveyor of the high ways within
this town for y^e ensuing year your Proposition thereof
is from the putting of y^e high ways by James Parsons
House throu fresh water cove to the western Parish line
and all persons within said limits are to attend mending
high ways with beames & tools when legally worn

at the same meeting of the Select men March 30 1791

Mr Josiah Ingersoll Surveyor of the high ways within
this town for the ensuing year your
Proposition thereof is from the Head of Capt John Covacs
to the putting of the ways upon the Exposed Point & all
beames and beames and their tools within the said limits
are to attend the service of mending the said high ways
when legally worn

701st Meeting of select men March 1830 1791
Mr John Clunker Severe of 1st high ways of this town
for the Ensuing year your Proposition of 1st -
high ways Begins at 1st line of 1st Northerly parish
near your house & runs thence to the Meeting
House of 1st parish & thence to Herdens pasture & all
Deacons within 1st Limits & on 1st Western Side
of 1st way from 1st Meeting House to Hodgkins Cove
are to attend mending high ways when Legally
warned with Teams and Tools

Mr George Dennison's Proposition of the high ways
is from the Bridge by Hodgkins Cove excluding said Bridge by
Benjamin Davis's Pasture to the Meeting House of the northerly
Parish and thence as 1st Way or Ways go to the Wood Lot. &
All Person within 1st Limits on the Eastern Side of said Way from
Hodgkins Cove to 1st Meeting House are to attend mending high ways
with Teams and Tools when legally warned

Mr William Norwood's Proposition of the high ways is from
the line of the Northerly Parish at Pigeon Hill as the Way leads
to the Bridge by Benjamin Davis's Pasture to Hodgkins Cove
including 1st Bridge & all Persons within 1st Limits to attend &c.

Mr Adam Welman's Proposition of the high ways is from
the Parting of the high ways by James Byker along by Charles Byker
to Chebacco Line & from Chebacco Line & Bangs & Harbells Gate
to the West Precinct Meeting House & to Joseph Hemick's excluding
him & thence back thro' Coffin Farm to Anna's Swamp River.
And all Persons within 1st Limits are to attend mending high ways

Mr Benjamin Cunningham's Proposition of the high ways
from the Parting of the high ways by the fresh Marsh leading
to the Cape to the End of 1st Lane by Lieut. Tho: Atten's near 1st
Meeting House, & thence by Benet's Mills as the Way leads
to the House of Daniel Emmons, & all the Ways by your own
and John Benet's House into the Woods. and all Persons within
said Limits & on 1st Eastern Side of the high way from 1st Swamp
Parish Line & others within 1st Limits are to attend mending
high ways with Teams & Tools when Legally warned.

Capt. John Corney's Proposition of the high ways is
from the Parting of the high ways by the fresh Marsh till you
come round by Ebenezer Witham's to your own House & thence
round by Solomon Ingersolls down by 1st ~~1st line of 1st parish~~
Col. Sargents

by Collonell Sargents to Ellery's Cove and all Persons on the
Eastern Side of Said Way from Solomon Ingersolls to Coll Sargents
and other within said limits are to attend mending high Ways
with Teams & Tools when legally warned.

M^r Nymphas Stacy, Proportion of the high Ways
from the old Meeting House by the Windmills to the Parling of the
high Ways by Solomon Ingersolls, and the Ways by Capt Groves
and Philemon Warner, Idm^d to the Put & thence to Little River
crossing the Bridge by Little River and all Persons within
said limits & on the Western side of the Way from Salmon In-
gersolls to Coll Sargents are to attend mending High Ways with
Teams & Tools when legally warned.

M^r Caleb Pools Proportion of the high Ways from
Pigeon Hill Gale being Squam Parish Line to the parling of
Ways by Williams Fresh Marsh, and from Sandy Bay
by M^r Edm^d Groves to the Parling of the Ways upon East Side
Green, and all Persons within said limits are to attend mending
high Ways with Teams and Tools when legally warned.

all done & proportioned by Select Men March 9th 1742
& Jos. Wain Justice of Peace.

Glocester Oct 30. 1741

at a meeting of the select men was consented
to Constable Samuel Stoughton a Town Rate
amounting to three hundred Rington pounds
one shilling & six pence, to be paid by the
1st Last Day of December next

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at a meeting of the Select men may 1st 1742 then was appointed
to the survey of the town their proportion of high ways for the year
M^r Josiah Lins being at Squam parish line in Higgenhill pasture
as the way goes to Potin Cove Bridge both the bridges in his ward
and all people with teams & tools to attend the same when legally warned
M^r Samuel Griffin for his ward beginning at the bridge by John
Tuckers as the way goes to Potin Cove bridge thence from the
meeting house to Harridin point as far as the high way goes
thence from the meeting house up into the woods as far as the high
way goes and all people with teams and tools to attend
said ways when warned

At a meeting of the Select men may 24. 1742.

Mr Joshua Riggs proportion of high ways beginning at Kings Dam running to Squam line & from So Dam by Lieutenant Davis up into the woods by kinnacons as far as the high way goes & from pallisiah Dags Decamp to the fuling mill bridge thence from nehemiah adams up into the woods by Chubbs as far as the high way goes and all people with teams & tools within So limits are to attend So Davis

Mr Zervable Allens paste beginning at Standovers point the way goes to the ferry & from Kings Dam to the old meeting house bridge and thence as the way goes by Lieutenant Allens to the parting of the path by withams fresh grasshills Called and all people with tools & teams within So limits are to attend So Davis

Mr Japheth Bakers paste of high ways to mend beginning at Ebeners withams and so leading through the woods as the way goes to Sanday Bay and along round the Cape till you come to the place first mentioned and all people within So limits are to attend So Davis when wanted

Capt John Cornes proportion of high ways beginning at Mr Ebeners Withams and so as the way goes till you cum up to the hill Called Rones hill and all the way on Easton point and the way from your own house till you come to little good harbours river and all people with teams and tools are to attend So Davis

Mr Samuel Griffin Junr's Proportion of the high Ways is beginning at the Bridge by John Tuckers running as the Way goes to the Bridge by Benjamin Davis's Pasture by Hodgkins Cove and thence from the Meeting House in the North Precinct] all the high Ways to Standovers Point; Thence from said Meeting House all the high Ways running up into the Woods.

Mr Josiah Lane's Proportion of the high Ways is beginning at the Northerly Parish Line on Pigeon hill Pasture. Thence as the Way goes to Hodgkins Cove including the Bridge by Benjamin Davis Pasture.

Mr Joseph Littlehales Proportion of the high Ways is from Rones Hill by Capt: Thomas Sanders Junr Thro the Harbour to the old Meeting House from thence to the Bridge by the old Meeting House including said Bridge; and as the Way goes by Mr James Wallis's House till it meet the Way leading thro the Woods to the Cape.

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Mr Solomon Parsons Proportion of the high Ways is from the Cut to the Line of the westerly Precinct by little River and from the Cut to the little Bridge by James Sawyers at fresh Water Cove including the said Bridge.

Mr Luke Morgan's Proportion of the high Ways from the Bridge by James Sawyers at fresh Water Cove to Manchester Line and thence to little River thro the Woods.

Mr Aaron Brays Proportion of the high Ways is from little River to y West Precinct Meeting House and all the high Ways that lie on the Eastern side of said Meeting House within y Precinct and on the Eastern side of Josiah Choates within said Precinct.

Mr Ebenezer Haskell's Proportion of the high Ways is from y Head of Dike's Lane to Chebacco Line and all the high Ways within this Town that lie on the westerly side of Josiah Choates including Meeting House & on the westerly side of Josiah Choates including in's House.

At a meeting of the Select February 8: 1742/3
their was Committed to Constable John Day a town rate amounting to two hundred ninety two pounds sixteen shillings & five pence
Old tenor and the over plus of the province rate
£292: 16: 5
which is thirty pounds five shillings & four pence new tenor
£30: 5: 4

At a Meeting of the Select Men April 19 1743.

The high Ways were proportioned to the several Surveyors as follows:

Mr Benjamin Harris's Proportion is from Squam Parish Line at Pigeon Hill round by Mr Esquino Grover's to the Parting of the Path upon Salt Island Neck and from Sandy Bay thro the Woods to the Parting of the Path by the Fresh Marsh and all ^{by Com. granted} Persons within said Limits are to attend mending high Ways with Teams and Tools when legally warned.

Mr Henry Edgar's Proportion is from the Hill by Capt Sanders to the Parting of the Path on Salt Island Neck & by Ebenezer Whitmans to the Parting of the Path by the Fresh Marsh & by Jeremiah Parsons to the afore^d Parting of the Path upon Salt Island Neck and all the high Ways upon the Eastern Point and all Persons within said Limits be

Mr Philemon Warner's Proportion is all the high Ways from y by Capt Thomas Sanders thro the Harbour & by the Wind Mill by to the Cut & to the Head of Lower Lane & the Parting of the Ways by Beamsley woodwards House as you go to the Cape thro the woods including the House that was Nathaniel Sawyers obi & y Family's therein & all Persons within y Limits &c

Mr William Ellerys Proportion is from the Head of Low Lane to the old Meeting House, & from thence in the Cape Way to the Parting of the high Ways by the fresh Marsh and all the ^{high} Ways upon the great Neck and all Persons within said Limits &c.

Mr John Bonets Proportion is all the high Ways from the Way to the Cape by Bonets Mill till you come to the little Bridge by Mr. Nathaniel Wharfers House, & all the high Ways within said Limits on the Easterly Side of the Mill River & all Persons within said Limits &c.

Mr Michael Webbers Proportion is from his own House to the Crib & thence to the West Precinct Line and all Persons within said Limits &c.

Mr John Millets Proportion is from the Head of Little River to Manchester Line & to the House of Michael Webber at the Cove and all Persons within said Limits &c.

Mr James Dykes Proportion is from Little River to the West Precinct Meeting House & thence to Josiah Choate House excluding him and all the high Ways in the West Precinct that are on the Easterly Side of said Meeting House and said Josiah Choate House and all Persons within said Limits &c.

Mr John Haskell's Proportion is all the high Ways within the westerly Precinct that lye on the westerly Side of the Head of Dyke Lane the said Precinct Meeting House and the House of Josiah Choate and all Persons within said Limits &c.

Mr John Tuckers Proportion is beginning at the Bridge by Mr Nathaniel Wharfers & to Squam Meeting House and the Way to Mr Dennisons House and all Persons within said Limits &c.

Mr Jedidiah Davis Proportion is from his own House along by the Meeting House at Squam to the Line of Mr Norths, Davis at Ogon Hill & all Persons within said Limits &c.

at a meeting of the Select men November 4th 1743
their was Comitted to Constable Josiah Choate a town rate
amounting to 22: 18: 6 new tenors & an over plus of a p^{re}vious
once rate 4: 3-0 all in new tenor. \$27: 01: 6

at the same meeting their was Comitted to Constable
Solomon Davis a town rate amounting to 17: 12: 0
& an over plus of a p^{re}vious rate 13: 00: 4 \$20: 19: 4
all in new tenor all is

at the same meeting their was Comitted to Constable
Stephen Butler a town rate amounting to 15: 12: 8
and an over plus of a p^{re}vious rate 4: 3-0 12: 15: 8
all in new tenor

at the same meeting their was Comitted to Constable James
Dawley a town rate amounting to 14: 16: 1
& an over plus of a p^{re}vious rate 7: 8: 5 153: 4: 6
all in new tenor

At a Meeting of the Select Men - August 27 1744

It is mutually agreed between the Said Select Men on the one Part and James Demerit of this Town of Gloucester on the County of Essex Labourer ^{on my own Part} that the said James Demerit shall keep maintain & provide for Hannah Day Widow of Thomas Day dec^d and Sarah Clarke of this Town from this Day for and during the Term of One Year next following good and sufficient Meat Drink Apparel Washing Lodging and all Necessaries and When the said Term of one Year is expired shall return the said Sarah Clarke and Hannah Day as well provided for Clothes as they now are for the Consideration of forty Pounds old Tenor And to have Orders quarterly for the said pay In Witness Whereof The said Parties have hereunto set their Hands this 27th Day of August 1744. James Demerit

It is Agreed that the said Demerit is to have the said Hannah Dayes Bed for her self & said Hannah to lye on.

At a Meeting of the Select Men October 9th 1744

There was committed to Constable Parker Sawyer a List of the Town Rate amounting in the whole to the Sum of one hundred Sixty one pound sixteen Shillings & ten pence old Tenor and the overplus of the List of Province Rate amounting to twenty two ^{Pounds, Shillings} six & four pence new Tenor or Eighty nine pounds five Shilling & four pence $\text{£}161:16:10$
 Together with his part of Province Rate 1743 $\text{£}89:5:4$
 $\text{£}250:21:14$

There was Comitted to Constable Charles Bayley a List of the Town rate amounting to Seventy five pounds fifteen Shillings & Seven pence old Tenor. and $\text{£}75:15:7$
 his part of Province Rate $\text{£}77:8:4$
 To Constable Samuel Day Sixty pounds three Shill. and Six pence old Tenor & a List of his Province Rate $\text{£}60:3:6$
 $\text{£}137:12:9$
 To Constable William Norwood A List of part of the Town Rate amounting to fifty one pounds fifteen Shill. and Seven pence old Tenor $\text{£}51:15:7$
 & his List of Province Rate $\text{£}52:19:7$

Which respective Sums they are to pay in to Daniel Witham Town Treasurer or his Successor in said Office on or before the first Day of February next.

It is mutually agreed between the Select Men of Gloucester at their Meeting this 7th Day of January 1744/5 and Joseph Gardner that He shall maintain his Wife Esther Shwell in Victuals & Cloath from this Day till one year be compleat for twenty pounds old Tenor to be paid quarterly. Joseph Gardner

At a Meeting of the Select Men Decemb: 24. 1745
 There was committed to Constable Parker Sawyer a List of
 of a Town Rate in the Southerly Ward and of West Precinct
 Ward amounting to the Sum of Two hundred and ninety
 eight Pounds. Nineteen Shillings & nine pence
 old Tenor

and the Overplus of the Province Rate amounting to
 thirty Pounds new est. Tenor or last Emission

To Constable Sam^r Griffin jun^r
 A List of Town Rate amounting Sixty six pounds two Shillings
 and six pence old Tenor

and the Overplus of the Province List amounting to the Sum
 of Six pounds two Shillings & six pence last Emission

To Constable Anthony Benet a List of the
 Town Rate amounting to seventy four Pounds seven pounds
 fifteen Shillings & eight pence old Tenor

and the Overplus of the Province Rate amounting to
 three pounds ten Shillings & seven pence of the last Emission

All Which Sums they is ordered to pay to Daniel Witham
 Town Treasur^r or Successor in said Office on or before the
 first Day of March next Ensuing.

At a Meeting of the Select Men March 21. 1746
 The said Select Men with M^r Justice Allen proportioned
 Wards & Districts of said Survey as follows to wit:

William & George's Proportion of the high Ways is from Pigeon
 hill Pasture Gate and thence along as they goes all the high
 Ways to Hodgekin Cove Bridge including said Bridge and all
 within the same allages as to other within said Limits and
 attend mending by ways in the same and Tools when legally
 wanted.

John Tucker's Proportion is from Hodgekin Cove Bridge as if
 Ways go to Mr George Dennison's in the Water as far as the
 high Ways go and to the Top of Otanaderis Point and
 thence to the Bridge by Nathaniel Whaffe And all Ways
 within said Limits &c.

Henry Witham's Proportion is all the high Ways from
 Pigeon hill Gate to Lewis Bay & thence along by his own
 House Round by a bulwark Witham's to Land
 Bay again & all the rest

Daniel Smiths Proportion is All the high Ways upon the Eastern Point and down to Salt Island neck where the Ways meet and from the head of the Harbour to the Mill by Capt Sanders, and hence down to Zebulon Withams excluding him including Capt Sanders and the Mill by his House and all Persons &c.

Samuel Stevens Proportion is from Ellerss Cove thro the Store door and thro the new Street along by the Meeting & so over the Cut to Little River and all Persons within said Limits &c.

John Lawyers Proportion of the high Ways is from Sanders Mill to Capt Gibb's excluding him and along by the Wind Mill to the House where Capt Jacob Parsons lives excluding him and thence along by Nymphs Bay Stage to the old Meeting House Bridge & from said Stage along by Jonathan Wallis's & Jeffers House that Way to the Parting of the high Ways by Withams Joseph Marsh and all Persons within said Limits &c.

William Daviss Proportion is from the Parting of the Ways between Elizer & Samuel Parsons's House to John Nikets and all Persons within said Limits &c.

Isaac Eveleth Junr's Proportion is from his own House down to Kettie Cove or Daniel Knight's House and all Persons &c.

Thomas Pulifer's Proportion is from Isaac Eveleth junr up to the West Precinct Meeting House and so from the House of Moses & ray to Squam River from Woodberrys this Mr of Coffins Farm. And all Persons within said Limits are to be &c.

John Robberts junr's Proportion is from Benjamin Woodberrys House to the Meeting House All the high Ways to the Northward & Westward of said Meeting House and so to James Dukes House. And all Persons within said Limits &c.

David Starwood's Proportion is from his own House to the Mill and so along to Goodwins's Ferry and all Persons &c.

Antony Benetts Proportion is from the Parting of the high Ways by Withams Joseph Marsh by your own House to Rahemiah Starveys House & the Way that parts to go to the Ferry and from your own House Double Bridge along by Solomon Daviss to Daniel Emmons's including him and by Samuel Lages or far as the Way goes into the Woods and all Persons &c.

Isaac Waff Proprietor is all the high Ways from Ring
mill to the Bridge between Nathl Waff. & John on Sarah
Rivers including said Bridge and from the Parting of the
high Ways by Nehemiah Adams's as far as the way goes into
the Woods and to the Meeting of the Ways by Colonel Dages
and all Persons within said Limits are to attend mending
high Ways with Teams and Tools when legally warned &c

At a Meeting of the Select Men January; 26 1746

There was committed to Constable James
Pearson a List of the Town Tax levied in the Poll, & able
in the Southward amounting to One hundred Eighty three
Pounds Sixteen Shillings & Eight Pence in Bills of the old
Tenor to be paid on or before the first Day of March next 183.16.8

There was committed to him a List of a Province Rate
amounting to one hundred Eighty three pounds sixteen Shill
& 8 Pence where he is ordered to pay 161 £ to the Province
Treasurer & the Remainder being twenty two Pound sixteen
Shillings & Eight pence in Bills of the last Emission to the
Town Treasurer 22.16.8 in Bills of the last Emission 1

There was committed to Constable Luke Morgan
a List of Town Tax amounting to Ninety seven Pounds
fourteen Shillings and two pence old Tenor being the whole
List to be paid in by the first of March next L 97.14.2

Also the Overplus of a Province Tax amounting
to 97.14.2 in Bills of the last Emission whereof
he is to pay 91 £ to the Province Treasurer & the Remainder
Six pounds fourteen Shillings & two pence in Bills of the last
Emission to be paid to the Town Treasurer 6.14.2

There was committed to Constable John Bennet the
List of a Town Tax amounting to the sum of twenty
eight seventeen Shillings & five pence old Tenor to be paid
in on or before the first Day of March next and a Province
amounting to the same sum in Bills of the last Emission
whereof he is ordered to pay twenty four Shillings
& five pence to the Province Treasurer & the Remainder
to the Town Treasurer at or before the first Day of March next

There was committed to Constable Jonathan Tallow
a List of the Town Tax amounting to the sum of sixty five
pounds fifteen Shillings & seven pence old Tenor to be
paid to the Town Treasurer before the first Day of
March next L 65.15.7

There was committed to Constable Jonathan Tully 100
a List of the Province Tax amounting to the same
sum in bills of the East Commission of which
he is to pay to the Province Treasurie Sixty pounds
and the Remainder five pounds fifteen & seven pence
the Overplus he is to pay to the Town Treasurie.
and Returns were written Accordingly.

Mr William Norward Proprietor of High ways 1747
from Sign Hill gate by John Cooks Land so along as the
way goeth to the Bridge Gaze best marsh his horse
including a Bridge and all persons with in said limits with
their teams are Required to attend when leagly warned
Gloster march 23/1746/7

Mr Samuel Gifford Proprietor of High ways Beginning
at the Bridge by John Tucker his house so by the meadow
till you come to the wood lots then from Hodson Cane Bridge
to Hagers Point so along and all persons with in those limits
with their teams are Required to attend & serve in the High
ways when leagly warned Gloster march 23/1746/7

Mr Isaac Wharf Proprietor of the High ways is from Squam parish line
Kings mill to the Bridge Abraham millets & from Borens
Shop by John Benets to the wood lots as far as the way goeth
and all persons when leagly warned with in said limits are
to attend mending high ways with teams & tools Gloster march
23/1746/7

Mr Joseph Stibord Proprietor of the High ways whose of
you are fence is from moors Drays including him & Daniel
going to Little River & thence to Daniel Knights & thence to main
line and all persons with in said limits are to attend mending high
ways with teams & tools when leagly warned Gloster march 23/1746/7

Mr William Dauce Proprietor of High ways is Beginning at the
parting of the ways between Bledar Parsons Samuel Parsons highway
to all the High ways till you come to Danced millets House including
him and all persons with in said limits are Required to attend said fences
with teams & tools when leagly warned Gloster march 23/1746/7

Mr Ezekel Woodward Proprietor of High ways is Beginning at the Harrier school house
foaling the wide street so far as the Cress Street from the Lower main
Hill to the fire street then to the west main to the Cut foaling opposite
Rehob to the Head of Little River all persons are to attend & serve with
teams & tools when leagly warned Gloster march 23/1746/7

11th Samuel Hodgkins Proportion of the High ways is Beginning
at Kings mill and so along By Citicars allens and all the
Alden till you Come to Jeremiah's Harrow Including Zerubabel allens
& families allens and all persons within 3 Linets are Required to
attend & serve with teams and tools when leagly warned
Glocester march 23/1746/7

12th Ebenezer Day yore Proportion of High ways where of you
are seuer is from Squam River to the west Breink meeting
House & from thence as the waigs lead to Hogkins ferry Including
Daniel Goding & moles Bray & from the Breink meeting House along by
Herishes to Asiah Chats Harrow Including Him & Deacon Jacob Duffall
The way to this Harrow and all persons within 3 Linets are to attend
mending High ways with teams and tools when leagly warned
Glocester march 23/1746/7

13th Eliazer Lacey yore Proportion of High ways where of you
are seuer is from Calab Pools Harrow Including Him and
Then to Dagon Hill Gate Being Squam through line and
Round along by yore one Harrow to the gate of the parish land
By the Harrow of Jerimiah Persons to Little good Harbor River and
and all persons within 3 Linets are to attend mending high ways
with teams & tools when leagly warned march 23/1746/7

14th James Stanwood
Proportion of High ways is Beginning at Richard Jones and
so down as far as the Bridge to the North side of Abrahams
mill's Harrow and also as far as John Brucers and William Kings
Including all persons within 3 Linets are Required to attend
said Harrow with their teams when leagly warned
Glocester march 23/1746/7

15th Calab Poole yore proportion of the High where of you are
seuer is from yore the Harrow to Jeremiah's Harrow his Harrow
Including Him and thence up as the way gets to Daniel's Harrow
Harrow & to Capt. Corners Harrow Including Him and all persons
within 3 Linets are to attend mending High ways with
teams and tools when leagly warned Glocester march 23/1746/7

16th Samuel Hiden yore proportion of the High ways where of you
are seuer are all the High ways par the Eastern Point Capt. Corners
Including Him and all persons within 3 Linets are to attend mending
High ways with teams & tools when leagly warned
Glocester march 23/1746/7

At a Meeting of the Select Men on the 8th Day of June 1747
 they agreed with Cap^t. Samuel Davis to keep his Station
 John Davis for twelve pounds ten shillings for one Quarter
 of a Year next following.

highways proportioned 1747 &

Benjamin Averil's Proportion of the high Ways is all the high
 Ways upon the Eastern Point till you come to Capt John Corney's
 House & then Eastward as the Way goes till you come to Little good
 Harbour River and all Persons within these Limits are to attend.

Joseph Littlehale's Proportion of the high Ways begins at the
 Cap^t. Nath^l. Ellery's Wharf & so northerly thro^o the Croft street
 from the fore street & thence to the Towns Store where John
 Wotton dwells including him & Solomon Howard and all in
 same House all the Ways to the Eastward of this Line till
 you come to Cap^t John Corney, including him & so along the
 Way toward Sandy Bay to the Beaver Dam then from
 - below Withani's House Eastward so far as the Way that leads
 from Little good Harbour River to Marknought Harbours River
 And all Persons within said Limits are to attend. &c

Cap^t Charles Byles's Proportion is Beginning at the Ferry and
 so along by the Meeting House till you come to Ipswich Line
 then going along by Timothy Dyer's including Cap^t Ezeleth and
 his Son and so along till you come to Samuel Ruff including
 his House also along by his own House till he comes to Ipswich
 Line including Nicholas Bray And all Persons within said Limits

Joseph Hibbard's Proportion is Beginning at his own House and so a-
 long till you come to Little River including Nathaniel Ruff.
 House that way And all Persons within said Limits are to attend

Peter Coffin's Proportion is Beginning at the Bald Rock, as the
 Way goes till you come to Lieut Mark Haskell, including him
 and from Jonathan Riggs along by the Burying Place to the
 Meeting House and so along by Eben Dyer & Joseph Herricks Shop
 as far as the House formerly Daniel Rings and all Persons &c.

Jonathan Nowood's Proportion begins at the Bridge near John
 Tuckers and so along by the Meeting House till you come to the
 Wood Lot and from Hodgkins Cro^o Bridge by Sabel Merchants
 House till you come to Harraden's Point so called and all Persons

Caleb Woodberry's Proportion is Beginning at Pigeon Hill Gate
 so along on the Ways go till you come to a Bridge near Sa-
 bel Merchants House including said Bridge And all Persons and so
 Turn over the next Leaf

Glocester Feb 23-1748-9

To the Select men of Glocester
pleas to pay to John Hale the
sum of teen pounds old tenor
and I will allow you it as
part of pay which I am to
to receive for maintaining my
Daughter

Mary ^{his} M Longford
mark

John Hale,

At a meeting of the select men Decr 23/1747
Their wife Comitted to Constable John Hall a list of the
Town Tax levied on the polls and estates of the easterly Parish
amounting to seventy eight Pounds seven shillings &
pence of the old tenor to be paid on or before the first day of
march next Their wife all so Comitted to him a list of the
providence rate amounting to ninety four pounds fifteen shillings
one penny where of he is to pay in 83 pounds 14 s 9 to the Town
treasurer & the Remainder which is eleven pounds one shilling
in Bills of the last Emisson to y^e Town Treasurer 11-1-4

At the same meeting was Comitted to Constable Nathaniel
Hosker a list of the Town Tax levied on the polls and estates
westerly Parish amounting to one hundred and eleven pound
ten shillings & four pence In Bills of the old tenor to be
paid before the first day of march next
Their wife all so Comitted to him a list of the providence rate
amounting to one hundred twenty six pounds seven shillings
6 to y^e Town Treasurer & y^e Remainder which is 12
pounds in Bills of y^e Last Emisson to the Town Treasurer 12-0-0

At the same meeting was Comitted to Constable
Samuel Allen a list of the Town Tax levied on the polls
& estates of the forth Parish amounting to eighty seven
pounds five shilling and five pence In Bills of the old tenor
to be paid at or before the first day of march next

At a meeting of the select men Decr 29/1747
their wife Comitted to Constable Parker Sayer a list of the
tax levied on the polls & estates of the northerly ward
amounting to two hundred twenty seven pounds ten
shillings nine pence in Bills of the old tenor to be
paid before the first day of march next their wife Comitted
to him a list of y^e providence rate amounting to two
hundred thirty six pounds 1 s 2 to the Town Treasurer
& the Remainder which is twenty pounds in Bills of the
Last Emisson to the Town Treasurer 20-0-0

All so their wife Comitted to Constable Samuel
Allen a list of the providence rate amounting to the sum of
eighty nine pounds five shillings 2 to y^e Town Treasurer & the
Remainder which is ten pounds in Bills of the Last Emisson
to the Town Treasurer 10-0-0

High Wayes proportioned 1747/8

Isaac Whaffr Proportion begins at Squam Parish Line and go along as the Wayes go to Ring Mill and from thence by Reddish Davis & Nathaniel Daves till you come to Richard Tree's and also including all the high Wayes from Benjamin Allen's till you come to his own house And all Persons within said Limits &c

Samuel Hodgkins Proportion of the high Wayes begins at Ring Mill And so along by Nicholas Kuetwille to the House of Joseph Allen Esq including him and all the Neck so called from thence to Stone Wood Point And all Persons within said Limits are to attend &c

Antony Benet's Proportion begins at Jacob Randall's House including him & thence to Joseph Allen Esq excluding him and from thence along by Lieut Allen till you come to Solomon Dacey & Benja Knights including them and also the Way till you come to John Ingersolls & the Widows Jeffords including them And all Persons are to attend mending high Wayes within said Limits &c

Caleb Pool Proportion begins at Squam Line at Pigeon Hill till and Runs thence to the Beaver Dam including the Bridge there and thence to Long Cove and thence by Elderly Groves till you come to Little good Harbour River. And all Persons within said Limits &c

Nymphes Stacy's Proportion is from the Harbour Meeting House and thence along by the new School House and Benj^r Boynton's till you come to Jacob Randall's including Joseph Sargent & the Sawyers and also all the Wayes from your Own till you come to the Beaver Dam and all Persons within said Limits are to attend mending high Wayes with Team & Tools when legally warned.

At a Meeting of the Select Men on 19th Day of October 1748

There was committed to Constable Samuel Griffin a list of a Province Tax amounting to the Sum of two hundred & four Pounds sixteen Shillings whereof he is to pay One hundred and ninety Pounds to the Province and the Overplus being fourteen Pounds sixteen Shillings last Emission to the Town Treasurer on or before the first Day of March next

Also a list of a Town Tax amounting to the Sum of One hundred & thirty seven Pounds fifteen Shillings & Eleven Pence old Tenor which he is Ordered to pay to the Town Treasurer on or before the first Day of March next

There was committed to Constable Joseph Hebert a list of a Province Tax amounting to the Sum of two hundred and Eighty one Pounds two Shillings ^{and nine pence} whereof he is Ordered to pay

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to the Province Treasurer the Sum two hundred and fifty Pounds, and the Overplus being thirty One Pounds two Shillings and nine Pence (last Emission) he is to pay to the Town Treasurer on or before the first Day of March next. Also

A Lift of Town Tax amounting to the Sum of one hundred ninety three Pounds, and Seven Pence ^{old Tenor} Which he is Ordered to pay to the Town Treasurer on or before the first Day of March next.

There was committed to Constable Nathaniel Day a Lift of a Province Tax amounting to the Sum of two hundred & forty One Pounds Whereof he is to pay to the Province Treasurer the Sum of two hundred and twenty Pounds and the Overplus being twenty one Pounds (last Emission) he is to pay in to the Town Treasurer on or before the last of March next. Also

A Lift of a Town Tax amounting to one hundred & fifty nine Pounds ten Shillings & five Pence old Tenor Which he is to pay to the Town Treasurer on or before the first Day of March next —

There was committed to Constable Parker Sawyer a Lift of the Province Tax amounting to Six hundred and thirty five Pounds Sixteen Shillings & Eight Pence Whereof he is to pay to the Province Treasurer the Sum of five hundred & twenty three Pounds three Shillings & three Pence And the Overplus being one hundred & twelve Pounds ~~three Shillings & five Pence~~ thirteen Shillings & five Pence (last Emission) he is to pay to the Town Treasurer on or before the last of March next

Also A Lift of a Town Tax amounting to the Sum of four hundred & twenty seven Pounds Six Shillings and Eleven Pence old Tenor Which he is Ordered to pay in to the Town Treasurer on or before the last Day of March next.

High Ways Proportioned March 30/1749
 Anthony Benets Proportion Begins at y^e Widow
 Randels house including her house From thence To
 Joseph Allen Esq^r. Excluding him From thence
 along By Leg^t Thomas Allens and from thence
 as far as Jedidiah Daveses Including him
 and from thence along By Nathaniel Day
 Till you Com to Richards Tave, also y^e way
 Till you Com to John Inguinol & Widow Deyford
 Including them and all persons within said
 Limits

Samuel Plumer Proportion of y^e high ways
 Beginning at Kings mill so along By Nicolas
 Citocals to y^e house of Joseph Allen Esq^r. Including
 him and all y^e neib^r so Called From thence Till
 you Com To Stanwoods point and all Persons
 Within said Limits are Required to attend and
 Work on y^e high ways When Legally Warned with
 Teams and Tools Sutable to work on said ways

Joseph Littleale proportion of y^e High ways
 is Beginning at James Broms Wharf so Running Nor
 westerly as y^e High ways Goes till you Com to y^e
 way that Leads to y^e Wind mill so as y^e way Leads
 to y^e Cape Including y^e Widow Sanders and Capⁿ
 John Sanders Corney so along as y^e Road Leads
 To Sanday Bay as far as Bechoer Dam including
 That Bridge so Easterly From Tebalus Withams
 House Till you Com to y^e Gate Between Little good
 Harbour and Start Kate River all persons with
 in these Limits are Required to work on y^e high
 ways When Legally Warned

William Daves Proportion of high ways is Begin
 ing at y^e Parting of Ipswich & Manchester ways
 Between James Parsons house & Samuel Parsons
 house so along y^e ways Till you Com to y^e Present
 Line or y^e house formerly John Millets Including
 all y^e high ways within said Bound & all persons
 within said Limits are Required to work on y^e
 High ways with Teams & Tools When Legally Warned

Idell Whorff Proportion of $\frac{1}{4}$ ^d high ways are as 18
Followeth Begining at square Parish Line and all
and all $\frac{1}{4}$ ^d ways from thence till you Com to Ben
jamin Allen and also including all $\frac{1}{4}$ ^d ways as
far as Abraham Millits and also all $\frac{1}{4}$ ^d ways
from your house till you Com to Kings Mill In
cluding Robert Day and all persons within said
Limits are Required to attend and work on $\frac{1}{4}$ ^d
high ways when Legally warned with Teams and
Tools Sutable to work on said ways

Parker Sayers Proportion of high ways is begin
ing at $\frac{1}{4}$ Widow Randol house from thence as $\frac{1}{4}$ way
goes by Daniel Withams Esq^r Down to James Browns
Wharf also from Thomas Allen Juner house to $\frac{1}{4}$ Bridge
Between Benjamin Bointons house and $\frac{1}{4}$ School house
Including said Bridges ^{so on a line to m^r}
M^r Romans Shop from thence through $\frac{1}{4}$ Court Street
By Henry Daves house to Capⁿ Nathaniel Ebery
Whorff off that way from Deacon Stamp through
 $\frac{1}{4}$ Wood, so far as $\frac{1}{4}$ Parting Paths as you Go to $\frac{1}{4}$
Cape also you are Required to work one Day
with all your men on Ipswich Road Between
James Dicks Lane & Hasbels Saw mill all
persons within said Limits are Required to work
on said ways with Teams & Tools Sutable when Legal
ly warned

Henry Withams Proportion of $\frac{1}{4}$ ^d highway
are as Followeth Begining at Beaver Dam
From ~~Beaver~~ thence as $\frac{1}{4}$ ^d ways goeth till you
Com to Ridgen hill Gate from thence as $\frac{1}{4}$ way
goeth along By your one house till you Com
to Little Good harbour River and all persons
within said Limits are Required to attend &
work on $\frac{1}{4}$ ^d high ways when Legally warned with
Teams & Tools Sutable to work on said ways

John Stevens Proportion of $\frac{1}{4}$ ^d high ways is
from $\frac{1}{4}$ Parting of $\frac{1}{4}$ ^d ways that Lead to Eastern
Point and to Little Good harbor River all $\frac{1}{4}$ ^d high
ways to $\frac{1}{4}$ Southward and Eastward of said Line all
Persons are Required to work on said ways when Legally
warned with Teams & ^{Tools} Sutable to work on said ways

118 William, Norward Proportion of 4th high ways
is Begining at Ridgen Hill gate by John Pools
Tine so long as 4th way goeth Till you com to Laber
merchants house ^{including 4th Bridge by said merchant} all persons within said Limets
are Required to work on 4th high ways When
Legally warned with Tools Sutable to Work on
Said ways

Isaac Eveleth Proportion of 4th high ways
is from 4th head of Little River to the head of
Dikes Lane so through said Lane as 4th way goeth
to Moses Brays From thence to Hodgkins Ferry
Including Moses Brays Capⁿ. Boyls William Godrige
and Jacob Daves and all ~~other~~ persons with in said
Limets are Required to work on said ways
with Teams & Tools Sutable to work on said
ways when Legally warned -

Luke Morgans Proportion of 4th high ^{ways}
Begining at manchester Line to 4th head of
Little River so called including 4th Bridge at
4th head of Little River and all persons with
in Those Limets when Legally warned are Re
quired to attend with Teams & Tools Sutable to
work on said way

John Haskels Proportion of 4th high ways is
From John Ingalses to 4th saw mill as 4th way
goeth as far as m^r. John Roberts gate Near his
house and Likewise 4th way from thence to Ipswich
Line and as far as Jonathan Puggs and all
persons within these Limets Including Adam
Welman and Mark Haskel are to attend with
Teams & Tools Sutable to work when Legally
warned

Ebenezer Days Proportion of y^e high ways, ¹²⁰
are Begining at Squam Ferry as y^e way goes
Till you Com to y^e meeting hous and From y^e
meeting hous as y^e way goes as far as Moss
Braes Likewise from y^e Westely side of y^e mee
ting hous as y^e way goes till you Com to m^r
John Robards Including said Robards also y^e
way from m^r Jonathan Riggs Till you Com
to y^e meeting hous and also y^e way From Abraham
Sayers as far as y^e meeting hous Including Nislos
Bray and all persons within said Limits are Requie
red to attend and work on said ways with Teams
& Tools Sutable When Legally warned

John Sargents Proportion of y^e high ways is
Begining at y^e Bridge betwene y^e Harbor School
Hous and Benjamin Boirstons hous from said Bridge
on a Line to m^r Bomans Shop thence Down thro
y^e 6 or 8 Street by Henry Daves hous so Westerly
along y^e high way Tel you Com to y^e head of Little
River or y^e way that Leads from y^e Present to Little
Pierce Hidel Cove and all persons to y^e South
ward and Westward of said Line Tell you Com to
y^e parting of y^e ways that Leads to Ipswich and
Manchester and y^e head of Little River and all
persons within said Limits are Required to work
on said ways with Teams and Tools Sutable
When Legally warned

Samuel Griffen Juner Proportion of y^e high
ways is from y^e Bridge by John Tuckers hous
So as y^e way Lead to y^e meeting hous & from thence
to y^e Wood Lots & from Hopson Cove Bridge Down
to Hariden point so Called all persons within
those Limits are Required to work on y^e high
ways with Teams and Tools sutable When Legally
warned

121 At a meeting of y^e Select men Gloucester
April 11/1749.

An Agreement was made with M^r Samuel
White To keep a Grammar-school and also
To Teach Reading Writing and Cyphering
in Gloucester aforesaid For and During y^e Term
of one Quarter of a year at y^e Place ordered
by y^e Select men Beginning this Eleventh Day
of April Instant and y^e said White is to Receive
for his Service Seventy Five pounds Old
Tenor

At a meeting of the select men on the 6th day of January 1722
Their wife Committed to Constable Timothy Day a List of the
Providence tax amounting to the sum of one hundred twenty five pounds
where of he is to pay one hundred & fifty pounds to the
Providence Treasurer and the over plus being fifteen pounds nine pence
last Emison to the town treasury on or before the last day of March next
Also a List of the town tax amounting to the sum of one hundred eighty
pounds six shillings & four pence old tenor which he is order to pay to the
town treasurer on or before the last day of April

At the same meeting their wife Committed to Constable Samuel Long
a List of the Providence tax amounting to the sum of one hundred seventy
two pounds seven shillings and eight pence where of he is to pay
one hundred & sixty pounds to the Providence Treasurer and the over
plus being twelve pounds four shillings & eight pence last Emison
to the town treasurer on or before the last day of March next
Also a List of the town tax amounting to the sum one hundred thirty
five pounds seventeen shillings four pence old tenor which he is order to
pay the town treasurer on or before the last day of March next

At the same meeting their wife Committed to Constable James Stanwood
a List of the Providence tax amounting to the sum of one hundred
eighty three pounds nine shillings one penny where of he is to pay one
hundred seventy pounds to the Providence Treasurer and the over plus
being thirteen pounds nine shillings & one penny last Emison to the
town treasurer on or before the last day of March next
Also a List of the town tax amounting to the sum of one hundred
forty seven pounds four shillings three pence old tenor which
he is order to pay to the town treasurer on or before the last
day of March next

At the same meeting their wife Committed to Constable William
Elwell a List of the Providence tax amounting to the sum of four
hundred fifty seven shillings & four pence where of
he is to pay the sum of four hundred fifty four pounds
shillings to the Providence Treasurer & the over plus being
forty two pounds nineteen shillings & four pence
last Emison to the town treasurer on or before
the last day of March next

Also a List of the town tax amounting to the sum of
four hundred eight pounds twelve shillings & three pence
old tenor which he is order to pay to the town treasurer
on or before the last day of March next

51²³ At a Meeting of the Select Men April 23 1750.

Ambrose Allen was appointed Pound Keeper and ordered that he provide a good Lock for the Pound and bring his Account of it to y^e Select Men for Allowance.

Proporcion of y^e high Ways 1750

Daniel Smiths Proporcion of y^e high Ways is all Eastern Point Till you Com to Capt John Cornys Exclusive of him and all persons Within said Limits are to attend mending high Ways When Legally Warned With Teams and Tools Sutable

William Norwoods Proporcion of y^e High Ways is Begining at John Pools Gate Neare Pagen Hill as y^e Ways Goes Till you Com To Gabes merchants hous Including y^e Bridge By said merchants hous and all persons With in said Limits are Required to attend and Work on said Ways With Teams and Tools Sutable When Legally Warned

Jonathan Norwoods Proporcion of y^e High Ways is Begining at y^e Bridge Neare John Tuckers Hous so Along as y^e Way Goes Till you Com to square meeting Hous and from thence To y^e Wood Lots also From Hopson Cove Bridge Down to Harrinds point so Called and all persons Within said Limits are Required to attend and Work on said Ways With Teams and Tools Sutable When Legally Warned

Nathaniel Hasckels Proporcion of y^e High Ways are as Followeth Begining at Ipswich Line From thence To y^e meeting hous From y^e meeting Hous as y^e Way Goeth to Jonathan Riggs Including said Riggs also all y^e Way from John Inghets Hous as y^e Way is Laid out Till you Com to y^e meeting Hous Including m^r Welman and mark Hasckel Juner and all persons

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Within said Limits are Required to attend
Work on said Ways With Teams and Tools
Sutable When Legally Warned

Benjamin Roberts Proportion of y.^e High
Ways is Beginning at y.^e meeting house from said
meeting house as y.^e Ways Goes as Far as Square
Ferry Also y.^e Way from y.^e meeting house as
y.^e Ways Goes Till you Com to Hodgkins Ferry
also y.^e Way from Mous Branch from y.^e old
you Com to Little River also y.^e Way along
By Capt^l Boile as Far as William Gossage
Including him also all y.^e Way to y.^e Stewards
of Jonathan Riggs Excluding him and all
persons Within said Limits are Required to attend
and Work on said Ways With Teams
and Tools Sutable When Legally Warned

Joseph Abberts Proportion of y.^e High Ways
is Beginning at y.^e Manchester Line From thence to
y.^e head of Little River Including Samuel Morgan
and Including y.^e Bridge at Little River all
persons Within said Limits are Required to attend
and Work on said Ways With Teams and Tools
Sutable When Legally Warned

Jesse Parsons Proportion of y.^e High Ways
is as Followeth Beginning at y.^e New School house
so Easterly along y.^e Middle Street Till you
Com to Henry Daves House so Southerly to Capt^l
Nathaniel Ellys Wharf all y.^e high Ways southerly
ly and Westerly of said Line Till you Com to
y.^e head of Little River so Called on Ipswich
Road and y.^e Road that Leads to Manchester Till
you Com to y.^e Widow Abagal ~~the~~ millit house
all persons Within said Limits are Required
to attend and Work on said Ways With Teams
and Tools Sutable When Legally Warned

Left Thomas Allen Proportion of 4th
High Ways are in Followeth is Beginning
at four o'clock till 4th Meeting hour Till
you Com to 4th Prins Luner hour Includ
ing him then From 4th Meeting hour Till
you Com to Ring, thence Thence By 4th
Rice Till you Com to Harwood, point
to Carter all 4th High Ways To 4th Westward of?
Linc Tell you come to Hodgkins Ferry also
you are bound to Work one Day With all per
sons Within your Limits on Burke Stand
on 4th Westerly Side of 4th Ferry so Far as 4th
Gate by 4th Caseway all persons Within your
Limits on 4th Easterly Side of 4th Ferry are to
Attend and Work With Teams and Tools Suta
bel For said Service When Legally Warned.

Joseph Littlehale

Proportion of 4th High Ways
is all 4th high Ways From Samuel parsons Luner
at 4th Ways Goes Tell you Come to 4th New School
hour in 4th Harbour and 4th Notherly Side of
4th Way Untill you Com to 4th meeting hour in 4th
Harbour and thence to Nathaniel Cusmans
Including him and thence along 4th Nothern
Side of 4th Strate Untill you Com to Sobe Eveleth
Including him & then all 4th high way From
4th middel Bridge by 4th harbour Dam and from
4th Meeting hour in 4th harbor and 4th high
ways to 4th Eastward of 4th saw Line Till you come
to Capⁿ John Cornys Including him and thence
to 4th Beaver Dam so Called and all persons
Within said Limits are Required to Attend and
Work on said Way With Teams and Tools
Sutabel When Legally Warned

Caleb Pools Proporsion of $\frac{1}{2}$ high Way
is From $\frac{1}{2}$ Beaver Dam Including that $\frac{1}{2}$
Bride to squam Line By Pigeon Hill &
thence Round By Elder Groves to Tabular
Withams and Little Lake Harbour River
Excluding said Witham and all persons With
in said Limits are to attend mending high
Ways When Legally Warned

John Whorff

Proporsion of $\frac{1}{2}$ high Way is
From Squam Line To $\frac{1}{2}$ hour of William Ring
Deerard By $\frac{1}{2}$ Mills and $\frac{1}{2}$ parting of $\frac{1}{2}$ Ways
By Samuel Dais Until You Com to Sonalls
an Browns Black smith Shop and thence
By John Benets as far as $\frac{1}{2}$ Ways Goes in
to $\frac{1}{2}$ Wood and all persons Within said
Limits are to attend mending high Ways
With Teams & Tools Sutable When Legally
Warned

Anthony Benet, Proporsion of $\frac{1}{2}$ high
ways so Begining at Rings mill Dam
along By Samuel Dais as far as $\frac{1}{2}$ Ways
Goes by hour One Hour to Deamon Stary
and thence to $\frac{1}{2}$ parting of $\frac{1}{2}$ paths By
Withams Fresh Markh and all persons
With in said Limits are to attend and Work
on said Ways With Teams and Tools Sutable
When Legally Warned

127 At a meeting of y^e select Men Novem^r 19 1750
There was Comitted to samuel Morgan a Town Tax
amounting to y^e sum of sixty Four pounds Eleven
Shillings and one penny Lawfull money To pay to
William Allen Town Treasurer or Sufior in said Office
on or before y^e Last Day of March Next

64-11-11
at y^e same meeting there was Comitted To Constable
James Haskel a Town Tax amounting to y^e sum of
Twenty Eight pounds Nineteen Shillings and nine
pence Lawfull money to be paid to William Allen
Town Treasurer or Sufior in said Office on or
Before y^e Last Day of March Next

28-19-9
at y^e same meeting there was Comitted
To Constable Abraham Roberson a List of y^e Town
Tax amounting to y^e sum of Twenty one pound
Five shillings and Six pence Lawfull money
to be collected and paid in to William Allen Town
Treasurer or his Sufior in said Office on or
Before y^e Last Day of March Next

21-5-6
At y^e same meeting there was Comitted to
Constable Joseph Lushen a List of y^e Town Tax
amounting to y^e sum of Twenty Five pounds
Eight Shillings and Four pence Lawfull
Money to be collected and paid in to William
Allen Town Treasurer or his Sufior in said
Office on or Before y^e Last Day of March
Next

25-8-4
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Proposition of y^e High Ways

William Stevens proposition of y^e High ways is
Begining at Ipswich Line Til you Com to Mr
Jaques meeting house then from John Ingols as y^e
Road Goes Til you Com to y^e meeting house then from
haskels Saw mill as y^e way Goes to mark haskel Id^r
Including said Haskel and Adam Welman Thence
From y^e meeting house Til you Com to Jonathan Riggs
Including said Riggs thence From said Riggs as y^e way
Goes Till you Com To Left mark Haskel all Persons
within said Limch are Required to attend and work on
said way with Teams and Tools Suitable When Legaly warned

John Sawyer's Proportion of 4th High ways is
Beginning at 4th meeting house as 4th way Goes to m^r
Coffens Farm Then From your house Along By
m^r Joseph Herricks as 4th way Goes Till you Com to
4th meeting house thence as 4th way Goes From Jonathan
Riggs Along By m^r Choler and Deacon Jacob Marshels
and so Along Till you Com To squam ~~meeting~~ Ferry
all persons within said Limits are Required to attend
and work on 4th High ways with Teams and Tools
suitable when Legally Warned

Luke, Morgans Proportion of 4th high ways is
Beginning at Manchester Line as 4th ways Goes till
you Com to Dicks Lane all persons within said
Limits ~~are~~ Required to attend and Work on said
ways with Teams and Tools suitable When Legally
warned

Ebenezer Daves Proportion of 4th High Ways
is Beginning at Hodgkins Ferry as 4th ways Goes
Till you Come to 4th meeting house Thence from Moses
Brays Till you Come to 4th head of Dicks Lane then
as 4th ways Goes Till you Com to William Goodridge
Including Jacob Daves Thence From Aron Brays Till
you Come to 4th Road that Goes to Hodgkins Ferry
Including Aron Bray all Persons within said Limits
are Required to attend and Work on said Ways with
Teams and Tools suitable When Legally Warned

William, Norwoods Proportion High Ways is
Beginning at John Pools Gate Near Ridgen hill as 4th
way Goes Till you Com to Sabez Merchants house
Including 4th Bridge 4th Bridge By said Merchan
t house and all Persons within said Limits When Le
gally Warned are Required to attend and Work on said
ways with Teams and Tools suitable

Jonathan, Norwoods Proportion of 4th high
ways is Beginning at 4th Bridge Near John Tuckers
House Including said Bridge so along as 4th way Goes
Till you Com to squam meeting house Thence to 4th Wood
Lots also From Johnsons Cove Bridge Down to Harbours
Point so Called all persons within said Limits are
Required to attend and work on said ways with Teams
and Tools suitable When Legally Warned

129 Cap^l William Elerys Proportion of
4th High ways is 4th Westerly side of 4th mile
River and so along 4th mile Creek till you come
To samuel Parsons Juner Excluding him and
Including Lef^t Thom^s Allen John Uland Jeremiah
Robinson 4th Widow Jeffords John Ingersole John Williams
and Jonathan Wallas all persons Within said Limits
are Required to attend and work on said ways With
Teams and Tools suitable When Legally Warned Also
You are Ordered to work one Day on Bisk
Island so Called

Anthony Benets Proportion of 4th high
ways is ~~beginning~~ 4th Easterly side of 1st mill
River and so along Kings mill road till you come
to your one hour and all persons to 4th Norward of
your hour till you come to John Tubers Bridge all
Persons within said Limits are Required to attend &
Work on said ways with Teams and Tools suitable
When Legally Warned

Samuel Stevers Juner Proportion of 4th high
ways is Beginning From 1st Cut thro 4th harbour to
Elerys Cove and Back to Solomon Ingersols House
and thence up to Sam^l Parsons Juner House Including
him and thence Thro 4th middle street back to 1st Cut
again Taken in all 4th ways in 4th harbour and all
Persons Within said Limits Liable excepting those Who
Dwell on 1st Holkerly side of 4th New Market hour Street
who Belong to M^r John Sargint are to attend Men
ding High ways With Teams and Tools when Legally
Warned You are Likewise to Work with all your
hands one Day upon 4th ways Between Tho^s Days
and Long Causway as you Go to Manchester

James Pearson Proportion high ways is all 4th high ways
upon Eastern point so Far as Cap^l John Corneys House
excluding him and all Persons Liable by Law to mend
high ways are to attend that service when Legally Warned
Within said Limits With Teams Tools suitable as 4th
Law Directs

Ebenezer Grover's Proportion High way, is ³⁷
from 4th Beaver Dam by Wilham's fresh marsh to
Squam parish Line and round as 4th way Goes by
Elder Grover's to Little Good Harbour River, and
all persons Within said Limits Liable When Legally War-
ned are to attend mending high way, With Teams and
Tools suitable

John Sargents Proportion high way, is from
4th Cut a lopy by hour one hour to Little River Taken
in and Including Those persons that Dwell on 4th Nether
by side of 4th mill Street in 4th Harbour and all
persons Within said Limits Liable are to attend men-
ding high way, With Teams and Tools when Legally warned
Also You are to Work one Day with all your-
hands on 4th way Between Carrⁿ Boils and saw
mills

Michael Webber Proportion of 4th high way
is from 4th parting of 4th way by James Parsons house
Thro Fresh Water Cove to 4th Line of 4th West present
as 4th Way Goes and all persons Liable Within said
Limits are to attend mending high way, With Teams
and Tool When Legally Warned

William Elwells Proportion of 4th High way
is From 4th Beaver Dam by Wilham's Fresh Marsh
By Tebulun Wilham's to 4th parting Path Upon Sott
Hland Neck and from said Tebulun Wilham's to 4th
Eastern point as Far as Capⁿ John Corneys house
Including him and Toward 4th harbour meeting
Hour as Far as Solomon Ingersols House Including
him and all persons Liable Within said Limits
When Legally Warned are to attend mending high
way, with Teams and Tools

731 At a Meeting of y^e select men June 27/1751
 There was abated to Constable Nathaniel
 Day y^e Following Rates
 Mr David Stanwood Decend Rates To y^e Town
 and Province in Old Tenor ——— 16-6-8
 Philips Stanwood Rates to y^e
 Town and Province Old Tenor ——— 9-4-4
 25-11-

At y^e same meeting abatted to y^e Administrator
 on y^e Estate of Parker Sawyer late Constable
 of Gloucester Thomas Ayers sons head Who was lost
 in y^e Expedition to Cape Bullen ———
 Old Tenor ——— 1-11-3

At a Meeting of the Select Men Septemb^r 1st 1751.

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurers to pay to
 Timothy Day or his Order the Sum of fifty six pounds
 four shillings and five pence old Tenor Equal to Seven Pounds Eighteen
 shillings Lawfull Money for gathering two hundred and
 Twenty six Pounds last Expence the Province Rate and
 One hundred & Eighty pounds old Tenor the Town Rates
 for the Year 1749. When and for Service done the Town
 That Year for which he had five pounds five shillings and three pence.

At the Meeting abov^e Sept^r 1st 1751

An Order was drawn upon the Treasurers to pay
 to Mr Timothy Day or Order the Sum of ten pounds
 Lawfull Money for three Days spent in perambulating
 the Line between Manchester & Gloucester & Ipswich &
 Gloucester in 1745

At meeting of Select men October 21/1751
 Committed to Constable Nehemiah Stanwood a List of
 y^e Province Tax Amounting to y^e sum of Seventy
 two pounds Nineteen Shillings and two pence
 Lawfull Money Where of he is to pay Sixty Eight
 pounds Teen Shillings To y^e Province Treasurer
 and y^e Over Plus Being Four pounds Nine shillings
 and Two pence to y^e Town Treasurer
 Also a List of the Town Tax Amounting to y^e sum
 Twenty One pounds Fourteen Shillings & Eleven
 pence Lawfull money Which he is Ordered to pay to y^e
 Town Treasurer on or before y^e Last Day month Next

At the same Meeting October 21/1751 132
There Was Committed to Constable Samuel Rye
a List of y^e province Tax amounting to y^e sum of
Nintey Seven pound Thirteen shillings and seven pence
Lawfull money Whereof he is to pay Eightey pounds
To y^e province Treasurer and y^e Over Plus Being
Seventeen pound Thirteen and seven pence Lawfull
money to y^e Town Treasurer

Also a List of y^e Town Tax Amounting to y^e sum
Twenty seven pound nine shillings and Teen pence
Lawfull money Which he is Ordered to pay to y^e Town
Treasurer on or before y^e Last Day of March Next

There was Committed to Constable Jabez Baker
a List of y^e province Tax amounting To y^e sum of
Two hundred and thirtey one pound Thouten and seven
pence Lawfull money Whereof he is to pay to y^e Province
Treasurer Two hundred and Twenty pound and y^e Over
Plus Being Eleven pound Thouten shillings and seven
pence Which he is to pay to y^e Town Treasurer

Also a List of y^e Town Tax Amounting to y^e sum of
Sixty nine pound six shillings and one pence Which he
is Ordered to pay to y^e Town Treasurer on or before y^e
Last Day of March Next

At y^e same time there was Committed to Constable
George Dener a List of y^e province Tax amounting
to y^e sum seventy six pound sixteen shillings and Teen
pence Lawfull money Whereof he is to pay to y^e proo
vince Treasurer seventy pound and y^e Over Plus being
Six pound sixteen shillings and Teen pence Which he is
to pay to y^e Town Treasurer

Also a Town Tax amounting to y^e sum of Twenty
one pound one shilling and one pence Lawfull money
Which he is Ordered to pay in to y^e Town Treasurer
on or before y^e Last Day of March Next

Proportion of 4th High Way 1752

Samuel Lanes proportion of 4th High Way is
Beginning at John Pools Gate Near Progen hill a
4th Way Goes Till you Com to Sabez Merchants house
Including 4th Bride By said Merchants house and all
persons Within said Limits When Legally Warned
Are Required to Attend on Work on said Way
With Teams and Tools Sutable

Ebenezer Duff Proportion of 4th high Way
is Beginning at your house as 4th Way Goes Till you
Com to 4th meeting house thence from mores Brays
Till you Com to 4th head of James Dukes Lane thence
as 4th Way Goes Till you Com to William Goodridge house
Including Jacob Daves thence from Aron Brays Till
you Come Till you Com to 4th Road that Leads to Hod
gkins Ferry Including Aron Bray All Persons
Within said Limits are Required to Attend and Work
on said Way When Legally Warned

Nathaniel Hasrider's Proportion of High Way
is Beginning at 4th Bridge Near John Tuckers Including
said Bridge so along as 4th Way Goes Till you Com to
Squam meeting house from thence to 4th Wood Lott
Also from Hopson Cove Bridge so called as 4th Way
Goes Till you Com to Hasrider's point all persons
Within said Limits are Required to Attend and Work
on said Way With Teams and Tools sutable When Legally
Warned

Jacob Haskel Juner Proportion of 4th High Way
is beginning at 4th meeting house from thence as 4th Way Goes
to Coffins Farm thence from John Sayers house along
By Joseph Herricks House as 4th Way Goes till you Com
to 4th meeting house thence as 4th Way Goes from Jonathan
Riggs along By Jonah Choates and Deacon Jacob Haskels
so along Till you Com to Squam Ferry all persons Within
said Limits are Required to Attend and Work on said Way
With Teams and Tools sutable When Legally Warned

Samuel Rust Proportion of High Way is from 4th head
of James Dukes Lane By your own house to Kitter Cove
all 4th high Way in 4th West present Lin from 4th aforesaid head of
Dukes Lane and all persons Within 4th said Limits Including
Nathaniel Brays and all in his house are to attend mending
high way With Teams and Tools sutable When Legally Warned

Isaac Haskels Proposition of High Way is from
Ipswich Line to 4th West present meeting house and from John
Ingals s. as 4th Road Goes to 4th meeting house and from Haskels
Saw mill as 4th Way Goes to mark Haskels Summer House including
him and Addam Welman and from 4th meeting house as far
to Jonathan Riggs including him and from said 4th Way Goes to
4th putting off 4th Way. By Haskels Bridge and all persons
Within said Limits When Legally Warned are Required to attend
and Work on said Way With Teams and Tools Suitable

Ebenezer Grover's proposition of 4th high Way is from
4th Gate at Squam Line on Rogers Hill to 4th Beaver Dam
and thence by Sandy Bay and four one hour to Little
Good harbour River and 4th Bridge over 4th Ditch running out
of Hark Nought harbour wharves including that Bridge
and all persons Within said Limits are Required to attend
and work on said Way With Teams and Tools suitable When
Legally Warned

Joshua Riggs Proposition of High Way is Beginning
at John Tullys Bridge from thence as 4th Way Goes to
Benjamin Allen's Decade as far as 4th Wood Lots and 4th
Way from four hour as far as Daniel Emmons Exclud-
ing said Emmons and 4th Way along By Jeremiah's mill's
till you com to Abraham mill's hour including Abraham
mill's all persons Within said Limits When Legally Warned
are Required to attend and Work on said Way With Teams
and Tools Suitable

Anthony Berets proposition of 4th high Way is
Beginning at Kings mill Dam and from thence along by
Daniel Emmons and Robert Day and James Daves hour
including Emmons Day & Daves above mentioned and as
4th Way Goes as far as 4th Widow Trews and 4th Way along
By John Brewers till you com to four hour and as 4th
Way Goes from four hour to Beaver Dam including
Jonathan Wolles John Williams and John Ingersol and
as 4th Way Goes from four hour to Lt Thomas Allen
hour Excluding him and son all persons Within said
Limits are Required to attend and Work on said Way
With Teams and Tools Suitable When Legally Warned

Dock^{er} Saml^l Turners Proposition high Way is
Beginning at 4th West side of 4th mill River ~~along~~ so along 4th
mill Creek as far as Lt Tho^l Allens including him and son
and from thence as 4th Way Goes till you com to Sam^l Parsons
Summer including said persons and Jacob Carter all persons
Within said Limits are Required to attend and Work on said
Way With Teams and Tools Suitable When Legally Warned

135 Joseph Littlehale's Proportion of the high Way is from the Bevers Dam to the Bridge over the Ditch running out of Little Good Harbour Sluice, excluding that Bridge & from that Bridge to Capt Corney, including him and thence along the high Way to Solomon Sangerfolk and thence on the Eastern Side of the Way to the Wharf below Mr. Broomer's and all People liable are to attend mending high Ways with Teams and Tools When legally warned April 6. 1792

Mr. William Stevens's Proportion of the high Way is from Samuel Parsons Junr's House excluding him to the Cut and all the high Ways in the so called on the Western Side of the high Way leading from Salomon In. & perfolle to the Wharf before William Card's to the Cut and all Persons liable within said Limits are to attend mending high Ways with Teams and Tools when legally Warned and to work with all his Plows one Day on the Way between the Causeway in the and the Strip of Michael Webster Junr.

Isaac Parsons Proportion is All the high Ways from Deacon John Parsons including his & Mr. Solomon Parson, House to 4th Cut and thence to Little River Bridge Excluding it and all persons Liable Within said Limits are to attend mending high Ways With Teams and Tools When Legally warned

Solomon Carson's Proportion of 4th high way is From your House Excluding Mr. John Parsons House to 4th West precinct Line Thro Fresh Warler Cove and all Persons Liable Within said Limits are to Attend mending high ways With Teams and Tools When Legally Warned

Ebenezer Goovers Proportion of 4th high way is From 4th Gate at Squam Line on Rogers hill to 4th Beaver Dam and thence by Sandy Bay and your one House to Little Good Harbour River and 4th Bridge Over 4th Ditch Running out of Starbrough Harbour March including that Bridge and all persons Within said Limits are to Attend mending high Ways With Teams and Tools When Legally Warned

Joseph Saywood's Proportion of 4th high way is All 4th high way upon 4th Eastern point to Capt. Corney's Excluding his House and to Little Good Harbour River and all persons Within said Limits are to Attend Mending high Ways With Teams and Tools Liable When Legally Warned

5 At a meeting of the select men February 29th 1723: 135
an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Tho^s
Riggs jun^r collector the sum of seven shillings and six pence
it being for John Weyson Rate which could not be collected (- 7-0

At a meeting of the select men March the 6th 1723⁺
then there was an order drawn on the Town Treasurer
to pay to Maurice Smith the sum of two pound fifteen
shillings it being for Ringing the Bell and sweeping the meeting
House - - - - - (- 2-15-0

At a meeting of the select men March the 17th 1723⁺ then an order
was drawn on the Town Treasurer for the payment of Eleven Pound
five shillings unto m^r Isaac Abbott out of the Town Treasury it being
for keeping school in Gloster a quarter of a year past 11-5-0

At a meeting of the select men June the 24th 1724 an order
was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to m^r Isaac Abbott
the sum of Eleven Pound five shillings it being for keeping
schools - - - - - 11-5-0

At a meeting of the select men August ye 24th 1724 then an
order was drawn on the Town Treasurer for the payment
of two pound four shillings & 10: to Tim^s Day jun^r (constable it
being for sum abatements allowed him: for collecting rates and
and sum saved on for the Town - - - - - } 2-4-10
the abatements allowed to pay
in full and sufficient for ye year 1724

At a general Town meeting in March 1723⁺ then John Lane
jun^r being chosen Constable: he refusing to serve sent five
pound by the hand of George Harvey which was delivered
to m^r Jam^s Stevens the then Moderator who delivered the
said money to the Town Treasurer m^r James Davis 5-0-0

At a meeting of the select men September 2 1724 then
an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer for the payment
of ten pounds to John Day jun^r it being for his maintaining
of the widow Gooding six months - - - - - } 10-0-0

At a meeting of the select men October 26 1724 then
an order was drawn on the town treasure for the to
pay to m^r Isaac Abbott Eleven pounds five shillings out
of the town treasury it being for part of his wages for
keeping of school in Gloster this present year - 11-5-0

At a meeting of the select men Decem^r: 26 1724
 an order was drawn on Mr James Sawyer
 for rent of the ways in p^{re}sent amounting to } 13-13-6
 At a meeting of the select men Decem^r: 26 1724
 an order was drawn on our town Treasurer to pay
 to Mr. Bury one of the surveyors the sum
 of twenty five pounds and six shillings
 for mending the high ways - - - } 25-6-0

At a meeting of the select men Decem^r: 1: 1724
 Then an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer
 to pay to Mr Thomas Riggs one of the surveyors in this
 Town for this year the sum of eleven pound & 4^{ten} shillings
 it being for mending the ways in this Town from the begining
 of the year to this day - - - } 11-10-0

At a meeting of the select men Decem^r: 1 1724
 then an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer
 to pay to Mr Ezeckiel Woodward the sum of four
 pounds and two shillings and ten pence it being
 due to him for mending and making the glass
 of the old meeting house and school house in this
 present year 1724 } 4-2-10

At the meeting above there was an order
 drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr John
 Millis one of the surveyors in the Town the sum of
 twenty three pound eleven shillings and 6^p it being
 for repairing ways in the Town this present year
 to this day - - - } 23-11-6

At the meeting above an order was drawn on the
 Town Treasurer to pay to Mr David Plummer out of
 the Town measure the sum of eight pound ten shillings
 it being for what he has done for ye widow Pennel in her
 buying the fore part and for Henry Moring in his sickness
 this year by order - - - } 8-10-0

At a meeting of the select men Decem^r: 15 1724 then
 an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr. Gass
 about eleven pound five shillings it being ^{in part} for keeping school
 in this Town this present year - - - } 11-5-0

At a meeting of the select men Decem^r 1st 1724 then there was ¹³⁸
an agreement made with m^r Isaac Abbott to keep a grammar
school in y^e Town of Gloucester a quarter of a year the time is to
begin the 25th Day of this Instant and he is to keep it in y^e Precinct
and where the Precinct shall order, and m^r Abbott is to receive of the
Town for his wages the sum of Nineteen pounds

Isaac Abbott

Select
men,

At the meeting above said an order was drawn
on the Town Treasurer to pay to Maurice Smith
forty shillings it being for part of his wages for
ringing the Bell and judging the meeting house

} 20.0

At a meeting of the Select men Decem^r 9th 1724 then an
order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to John Bray
the sum of nine pounds eight shillings and nine pence it being
due to him for repairing of the highway in the town

At the meeting above said an order was drawn on } 8 9
our Town Officer James Davis to pay m^r John Baker
the sum of fourteen pound nineteen shillings and
six pence for what work he did on the highway

At a meeting above said an order was drawn on } 24 9 6
the Town Treasurer to pay to James Jayer Sergeant
of high way the sum of three pounds and seventeen
shillings it being due to him for repairing the highway } 3 12

At the meeting above said there was an order drawn on the Town Treasurer
to pay to Gonnathen Parsons one pound two shillings it being for
drinking wood for William Paskey

At the meeting above said then drew an order on the
Town Treasurer for Ebenezer Parsons the sum of two
pounds and seven shillings for wood for y^e widow Miller

At a meeting of the select men Febr^y 28 1724/5
then there was an order drawn on our Town Officers
to pay Constable Thomas Allin for getting Rabes and
cattle ments the sum of fourteen pounds Eleven shillings
and three pence

14-11-3

139th the meeting of the select men Jan^y 1724/5 there was
an order drawn of one pound sixteen shillings to pay
to Mr Joseph Witham for what he expended for
old passy - - - - - 01-16-00

At a meeting a Coue^s then an order was drawn
on the town treas^r to pay to Mr Samuel Stevens
the sum of four pounds and seven shillings
it being in full for the trustees savings for
two years last past for beking in the gutres 4-10-0
money of the town

At the same meeting a Coue^s an order was
drawn on the treas^r to pay to Jeremiah Parsons
the sum of nine shillings and four pence 9-0

At a meeting a Coue^s then an order was drawn
on the town treas^r to pay to Samuel Griffen
the sum of two pounds and two shillings and six pence
being for rates that could not begettard. 2 2 6

At a meeting a Coue^s said then an order was
drawn on the town treas^r to pay to Elder
Seymour the sum of sixteen pounds and four shillings
it being for attending the sessions in April two days
and in May and Jun^y 32 days and in Novem^r and Decem^r
thirty eight days and for Charges of going and coming
nine days 16 4 0

At a meeting a Coue^s said an order was drawn
on the treas^r to pay to Thomas Gray the
sum of two pounds it being for the Relief of the
poor - - - - - 2 0 0

At the same meeting a Coue^s an order was drawn
on the town treas^r to pay to Isaac Euelett
one pound and ten shillings it being for two Bulls
kept for the towns use in the year 1724 1-10-0

At a meeting a Coue^s said an order was drawn on
the town treas^r to pay to William King two pounds
and five shillings it being for three Bulls kept for
the towns use in the year 1724 2-5-0

At the meeting of the Select men Jan^y 28 1724th there
was an order on the town treasure to pay to Samuel 140
Sergeant fifteen shillings it being for a Bull kept for the town
use in the year 1724 15-0

At the meeting a Court said an order was drawn on the
Town treasure to pay to Edward Glover fifteen shillings it
being for a Bull kept for the town use in the year 1724 15

At the meeting a Court said an order was drawn on the
town treasure to pay to Thomas Withers fifteen shillings
it being for a Bull kept for the town use in the year 1724 15-0

At the meeting a Court said an order was drawn on the
town treasure to pay to William Ruskell the fifteen
shillings it being for a Bull kept for the town use in the year
1724 15-0

At the meeting a Court said an order was drawn on the
town treasure to pay to Samuel Herreck fifteen shillings
it being for a Bull kept for the town use in the year 1724 15-0

At the meeting a Court said an order was drawn on the
town treasure to pay to the Heirs of Cap Joseph Allen
fifteen shillings it being for a Bull kept for the town use in
the year 1724 15-0

At a meeting of the Select men february 22 1724th then an
order was drawn on the town treasure to pay to Ephs Sergeant
ESR the sum of one pound and sixteen shillings it being due
to him for what he expended on the poor and swarming town
officer - - 31 14 0

At a meeting of the Select men March 5 1724th then
an order was drawn on the town treasure to pay to
Benjamin Harue on the account of George Harue late
Constable: Deceast the sum of Eight pounds Eight shillings
it being for rate, what could not be gathered and for collect-
ing what he did gather and for Serris Doll for the town. 8-8-0

At a meeting a Court said an order was drawn on the
town treasure to pay to Elizabeth Gardner one pound and
ten shillings it being for what she did to the curing of the
widow spencey breast - - 1-10

141 March 6 1724⁵ At a meeting of the Select men
an order was drawn on the town treasure to pay to
John Stacy the sum of ten pounds and thirteen
shillings it being for the Selectmen's expence 10-13-0

At the meeting above said an order was drawn on
the town treasure to pay to Thomas Withorn the sum
of nine pounds seven shillings and three pence it being
for what he did to the support of the poor and for ser-
vice done for the town. 9-7-3

At the meeting above said an order was drawn on
the town treasure to pay to Daniel King the sum of
three pounds and eighteen shillings it being for ser-
vice done for the town. 3-18-0

At the meeting above said an order was drawn on
the town treasure to pay to Ebenezer Parson the sum
of six pounds and three shillings and six pence it
being for what he expended on the poor and for ser-
vice done for the town. 6-3-6

At the meeting above said an order was drawn on
town treasure to pay to Thomas Bray jun the sum
of four pounds and nine shillings and nine pence
it being for what he expended on the poor and ser-
vice done for the town. 4-9-9

March 9 1724⁶ At a meeting of the Select men an
order drawn on the town treasure to pay to John Day
the sum of eleven pounds and seventeen shillings it be-
ing for the keeping of the widow Goodding and mending
the school in the year 1724. 11-17-0

At the meeting above said an order was drawn on the
town treasure to pay to Edward Glouster eight shillings
and six pence for what he did for the widow Goodding. 8-6

At the meeting above said an order was drawn on the
town treasure to pay to Mance Smith the sum of 2 15 0
two pounds and fifteen shillings it being for digging
the well.

At a meeting of 4 Select Men in Gloucester March 7. 23. 1724/5 ¹⁴²
 An Order was Drawn on y^e Town Treasurers to pay to M^r. Isaac
 Abbott. thirteen pounds it being for his keeping School one
 Quarter of a year last past in y^e Precinct — 13-0-0

At a Meeting of 4 Select men May 10th 1725
 An. Order was Drawn on y^e Town Treasurers to pay to
 Edw^d. Thompson thirty Eight Shillings it being part of John
 Bennet's wages for y^e last year Ordered to him by his Widow — 1-18-0
 At the Meeting Above said An Order was Drawn on y^e Town
 Treasurers to pay to Elizabeth Bennet One pound Nine Shilling
 and three pence it being y^e Remainder of what she is bound wages
 for y^e last year After what was Ordered to Edw^d. Thompson — 1-9-3

At y^e Above sd Meeting An Order was Drawn on
 the Treasurers Mr. James Deane to pay to Mr. Thomas
 Brunt out of the Town Treasure for the use of the
 poor since the sum of six pounds it being there
 proportion of what Money was paid out of the
 Town Treasury for a buying Cloth and Rinsing y^e
 Bell and Repairing the Motting Hear } 6-0-0

At y^e Meeting Above said An Order was Drawn on y^e
 Town Treasurers to pay to M^r. Wm. Haykel Sum of
 thirty Nine Shillings for serving y^e Town as Constable
 the last year — 1-19-0

At y^e Meeting Above there was Abated to Constable
 Wm. Haykel of his Rates y^e last year in the particulars following
 (A) John Butler — £0-10-9
 John Moore — 0-10-9
 Wm. Atman — 0-10-9
 Sam^l. Abbot — 0-10-9
 Benj. Rust — 0-10-9
 John Foster — 0-10-9
 Sam^l. Macafee — 1-1-10
 Henry Lusk — 0-11-7
 Allowed by Order — 1-3-0
 Sum total — £6-1-4

114th At a Meeting of y^e Select men Gloucesters May 17th 1724 —

An Order was Drawn on y^e Town Treasurers to pay to John Day
fourty shillings It being for what was granted to him by a
Vocall town meeting before that he agreed for with y^e
Select men — £ 2 - 8 - 0 —

At a meeting of y^e Select men June 2^d 1724 —

An Order was Drawn on y^e Town Treasurers to pay to
Symons Low three pounds It being for making a fence
some parts to prevent y^e Jurisdiction of the Common Country
in Over y^e Rute — £ 3 - 0 - 0 —

At a Meeting of y^e Select men June 22^d 1724

Then an order was drawn on the town Treasurers
to pay Symons Low fifteen shillings It being for a
Bull Coop for the Town up to the year 1724
By Joseph Garner To Garner gave an order
to Symons Low to Refuse the Muty and his Account
whitch was voted to To Garner By the town
£ 0 = 15 = 0

At a meeting of y^e Select men June 28th 1724

Then was Debated to Consull Thomas Allen of his
Rates in y^e following particulars (C^o D)

John Diner	£ 3 - 0	John Barber	£ 7 - 6
Benj. Elisell	0 - 3 - 3	Daniel Goden	0 - 7 - 6
Eliphae Duntum	0 - 1 - 0	Robert Herxing	0 - 7 - 6
Wm. Dering	0 - 7 - 0	Daniel Gill	0 - 7 - 6
Wm. Elton	0 - 1 - 8	Wm. Wallis	0 - 7 - 6
James Andrews	0 - 7 - 0	David Wallis	0 - 7 - 6
David Fingersh	0 - 9 - 0	Phillip Hamons	0 - 7 - 6
John Harvey	0 - 8 - 1	Edw. Ashby	0 - 7 - 6
John Duffon Jun ^r	0 - 7 - 0	Benj. Dike	0 - 7 - 6
Josh. Fingersh	0 - 7 - 6	Luke Morgan	0 - 7 - 6
Edw. Fingersh	0 - 7 - 6		
John Gardner	0 - 7 - 6		
Peter Bennett	0 - 15 - 0		
Wm. Carile	0 - 7 - 0		
Pharabod Young	0 - 9 - 1		

At a meeting of y^e Select men Sep. 7th 1724 — 149
There was Allowed to Constable Thomas Allen of his Rates
in y^e following particulars (Viz)

Rich: Peter	£	1	-	6	-	4
Joseph Smith		0	-	7	-	0
Gifford Egwell		0	-	6	-	11
Totals						£ 2 - 0 - 10

At the Meeting Above said: An Order was Drawn on y^e
town Treasurers to Allow to Constable Tho: Allen two
pounds and ten pence it being for some Abatement in
his Rates

At y^e meeting of y^e Select men Sep. 21. 1724 —
There was Allowed to Constable Samuel Stoughton y^e fees
Millings and y^e y^e power of Account of y^e Rates of a
Vessel of m^r Eliza Davis

At a meeting of y^e Select men Decemb^r 11. 1725 —
Then there was an Order Drawn on the Town Treasure
to pay to Waterman Warner Three Pounds and one Shilling it
being for a Beacon and fixing of Kales and wait for the Town
Vise

At y^e meeting above sd Then there was an Order Drawn on
the Town Treasure to pay to Ed: James Sagward fifty pounds.
With y^e interest it being for what y^e town hired of him
in May 18. Anno. 1724

At a meeting of y^e Select men, 27th of Dec^r 1724 —
An Order was Drawn on y^e town Treasurers to pay to m^r Isaac
Abbott fifteen pounds it being for keeping of School, one
Quarter of a Year

At a meeting of the Select men Jan. 10th 1725/6 —
An Order was Drawn on the town Treasurers to pay to
m^r Ebenezer Parsons six pounds four shillings and two pence
it being for Salaries, done for y^e town and for Relief of y^e poor

At y^e Meeting Above said An Order was Drawn on y^e town
Treasurers to pay to Stephen Row two pounds five shillings
and eight pence it being for y^e funeral Charges of William Bayley

145 Att a meeting of y^e Select men Nov^r. Jan^y 20th 1725/6
An Order was Drawn on the town Treasurer to pay to Elder
James Hayward four pounds one Shilling it being granted
to y^e By a Vote of y^e Town for Service of y^e Generall Court

Att y^e meeting Above said an Order was Drawn on y^e Town
Treasurer to pay to m. Joseph Allen Nine shillings
and four pence it being for Service done for y^e Town and
Reliefe for y^e poor

Att y^e meeting Above said An Order was Drawn on y^e
Town Treasurer to pay to Samuel Allen two pounds five
shillings and six pence it being for meeting of y^e meeting house and School
house glass

Att y^e meeting Above said an Order was Drawn on the
Town Treasur^r to pay to Thomas Bray three pounds
and seven shillings and seven pence for Service
done for the Town and Expended for the
poor

Att y^e meeting Above said, an Order was Drawn on y^e
Town Treasurer to pay to Constable John Sargent two pounds
it being for some Service done for y^e Town and Also
There was Abated in y^e following particulars

For Mr. Samuel Stevens	£ 0 - 19 - 0
John Barber	0 - 15 - 8
Daniel Gorden	0 - 15 - 8

Att a Meeting of y^e Select men Feb^r 21. 1725/6
An Order was Drawn on y^e Town Treasurer to pay to
Ebenezer Parsons One pound ten shillings and seven
pence, being for some Repairs of y^e Meeting house
his own Service in y^e Town and Wood gott for y^e Widows
Mills

Att y^e meeting Above said An Order was Drawn
on y^e Town Treasurer to pay to Col^d. Tompson One pound
one Shilling it being for Service done for y^e Town
as a Select man

Att a meeting a Vote so an order was drawn and
Town given to pay to Thomas Bray for his Service for the Town
and what he did for the poor the sum of fifteen shillings
and two pence Col^d six shillings

att a meeting of the secret men mentioned on y^e other side. 146
An Order was drawn on y^e town Treasurers to pay to
Joseph Allen fifteen shillings & 6 pence for service
done for y^e town as select man £ 0 15 0

Att y^e meeting afore said An Order was drawn on
y^e town Treasurers to pay to Ebenezer Davis one pound
three shillings and 3 pence being for service done for
y^e town and for y^e poor £ 1 3 3

Att y^e Meeting afore said There was Abated to Enslie,
Ezekiel Day of his Rates in y^e following particulars

V th Daniel Collins	£ 0 2 0
Job Linn	0 18 11
Robert Howard	0 18 11
Jonathan Bell	0 18 11
Richard Peice	0 18 11
Benjamin Posen	0 18 11

Reber Doluer a bated thine shill
ings and nine pence which the sd £ 0 19 1
Doluer paid to William Elwell
he being over Rated y^e year before
1724 - for six years skinner

att y^e meeting a bane so thencefore a
order Draw on the town to
pay to William Andrus y^e sume
of one pound two shillings it being
for what he expended to bury mains
in his sickness and digging his Grave

att the meeting a bane & a bated Charles Glover
his Rates the whole share of is one pound one
shillings and nine pence

Att y^e meeting afore said Abated Josiah Grover
of his Rates Nine shillings and six pence £ 0 9 6

Att y^e meeting afore said Abated Elias Davis
Ten shillings he being over Rate in his vessel £ 0 10 0
Servant

att y^e meeting a fare so there was a order Drawn
on the town to pay to Thomas Bray y^e sume
of Three pounds seven shillings and nine pence it
y^e account of a bane and und. saying of M^r Davis
for three years past

147 At a meeting of the Select men March 8th 1725/6
An Order was Drawn on the Town Treasurers to
Pay to John Stacy Eleven pounds Seventeen Shillings
and six pence, It for Expenses of y^e Select men y^e
Year past £ 11-17-6

At y^e meeting Above s^d. An Order was Drawn
on the Town Treasurers to pay to Eppes Sergeant Eight
twenty Shillings It being for sweeping the Town Officer
Last Year past £ 5-0-0

At a meeting of the Select men March 9th 1725/6
An order was Drawn on y^e Town Treasurers to pay to
Merrill Smith four pounds, fifteen Shillings It being for
sweeping y^e bell Sweeping House &c. for y^e Year past
£ 4-15-0

At a meeting of y^e Select men Apr. 13th 1725
An order was Drawn on y^e Town Treasurers to pay to
Mr. James Abbot thirty pounds in full y^e Litchfield
for his Service for keeping School y^e Year past

At a Meeting of y^e Select men May 4th 1725
An order was Drawn on the Town Treasurers to
Pay to Mr. Samuel Stevens twenty Eight pounds & six
Shillings It being for his wages in Serving y^e Town
as Representative y^e Year past £ 28-6-0

June the 16 / 1726 then An order was Drawn on y^e
the Town Treasurers to pay to John Davis to pay
to Ebenezer Turbow the sum of three pounds, two
Shillings for full for what work the s^d Turbow
and John Glover did on the School house and m^o
ny Reas

At a meeting of y^e Select men Sep. 7th 1726
An Order was Drawn on y^e Town Treasurers to
pay to Edw^d Tompson Six pound fourteen, Three pound,
Seven Shillings pence for Service, and Three pound Six and six pence
for y^e poor £ 6-14-0

Septem^r 14th 1726 Then then Acosited wth B^{rs}
from the p^rovoked trother J^redemiah Allen Esq^r for the
Town safe by that the D^r trother or Had Res^oved of our
trustees By the hand of M^{rs} Mary Townshend the sum of
one hundred and twenty pounds two shillings & 6^p being
th^{er} proportion of y^e £50000 For Mary
Joseph Allen & Robert Men-
Obed. Thompson.

December y^e 17 1726 at a meeting of the Selectmen an order
Was drawn on Levi^t James Davis Town Treasurer for to pay
to Mr James Lane the Sum of Thirty nine Shilings it being
for S^rvis don for the Town - - - - - £1-19-00

At y^e meeting a vote I an order Was drawn
on the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Joseph Allen the
Sum of Ten pounds Sixteen Shilings Three p^{en}ds being for
S^rvis don for the Town & Two p^{en}ds for repairing the
Schoolhouse and meeting house and five pounds three Shilings
for Sundrys for John Kent and William Doring - - - - - £10-16-00

At y^e meeting a vote I an order Was drawn on
the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr William Haskell Jun^r
the Sum of Seven pounds one Shilling and five p^{en}ds
Thirty Shilings of it being for S^rvis don for the Town -
Twenty Shilings for John Day for keeping John Kent
Twenty Shilings for Geo^rge C^ren for Kent and Three p^{en}ds
Eleven Shilling & five p^{en}ds delivered to I^r Kent in -
Such things has he had need of the hold is £7-01-5

At y^e meeting a vote I an order Was drawn on
the Town Treasurer to pay to Nathaniel Ellery the Sum
of forty Shilings and Six p^{en}ds it being for S^rvis don for
the Town - - - - - £2-00-6

At y^e meeting a vote I an order Was drawn on the
Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Daniel Witham Thirty Six
pounds five Shilings it being for keeping of School seven
months and eight days in full to this day £36-05-00

At y^e meeting a vote I an order Was drawn on the
Town Treasurer to pay to Mr William Haskell Jun^r the Sum of
Eight pound fourteen Shilling and ten p^{en}ds it being our p^roportⁿ
of the County Rate for which we have Resolved a Warrant for the
same this present year and said money to be paid £8-14-10
into the County Treasurer as soon as payable

¹⁴⁹
February the 16/1726 At A meeting of the select Men An. or.
was drawn one Lieutenant James Davis Town Treasr to pay
Simons Low thirty five shillings for one Bell Rope & for work
done At Court the Burying Place L 1-15-0

At the Meeting A Court An Order was Drawn of
Lieut James Davis Town Treasr to pay Stevens Robins
five pound one shilling of to the same for Whopping & stacking
Court of the Meeting House And Ringing the Bell for the
year 1726 L 5-0-0

At the Meeting About An Order was Drawn on the
town Treasr to Allow Constable John Bray the sum
of two pounds for ten shillings for going for gathering 99-11-0
Committed to John Bray to Collect for the year 1726
and for working Town officers the same year L 2-14-0
March the 1/1726 Made Appd 4-

At the meeting above an order was drawn on the town Treasr to
allow to John Deane the sum of 15-4-9 out of his Rates (committed
to him in the year 1725) seven pounds seven shillings & ten pence for
gathering one pound ten shillings paid to William Ray for work done for
the town five pounds five shillings and eleven pence for sundry Rates that
could not be gathered L 15-4-9

At a meeting above an order was drawn on the town Treasr to pay to
J^r M^r Esq^r Sergeant Esq^r the sum of one pound for swearing the officers for the year 1726

March the 1/1726 then An Order was Drawn on the
town Treasr to pay Doctor plura. fifteen shillings for
Medicines & visits to & for James Elwell L 0-15-0

At the Meeting A Court An Order was Drawn to pay Mr
Neetham & Elery twelve shillings of which four shillings
& 3 pence paid to Elery for work for the work of the
house of Reppe for the other for James Dun for the
town L 0-12-3

At the Meeting A Court An Order was Drawn On the town
Treasr to pay Joseph Allen the sum of one pound six pence
for going for Alcock & Stapol for the bell Rung And James Dun
of the town L 1-0-6

At the Meeting A Court An Order was Drawn on the town
Treasr to pay William Blackall & Anna three pounds five
shillings two pence of which is for Reliving John (about one pound
the shillings for street dirt for the town L 3-5-0

Glocester March the 1st 1726 An order was Drawn ¹⁵⁰
on Lieutenant James Davis Town Treasurer to pay
to Mr. Black Eloth the sum of one pound two Shillings
of being for the support of John Cant of the year
1726 £1-2-0

at the meeting Above I an order Was Drawn on the
Town Treasurer to pay to Mr John Stacy the Sum of
Ten pounds Ten Shilling it being for the Selectmens Expenses
for the year past. £10-10-

at the meeting Above I an order Was Drawn on the
Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Abraham Sawyer the
Sum of nine Shillings a Lowd him in his Rates £0-9-

Glocester March y^e 27 1727 -
Then an Order Was Drawn on Lieut James Davis
Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Joseph Mannings the
Sum of Twelve p^{ar}ds Ten Shillings it being for
keeping Schoole Thre month in Glocester £12-10-

at the meeting Above I an order Was Drawn on the
Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Josiah Kent the Sum of
four pounds Seventeen Shillings and Eight p^{ar}ds it being
for Licking after Edoth Haskel in ~~his~~ Sicknes and other
Charges Reliefted for D Edoth Haskel - £4-17-8

at the meeting Above I Delivered to Mr Josiah Kent
Thirty Shillings it being Lent to the Selectmen of
Glocester by John Warrwits Esqr and Received by the hand
of Abraham Robinson Jun^r for the use of the poor of
the Town of Glocester
£3-10-

at the meeting Above I an order Was Drawn on
the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Samuel Allen the Sum
of four pounds nineteen Shillings & four p^{ar}ds it being for
mending the glass for the meeting house and boards for the
Schoole house - £4-19-4

Glocester April y^e 12 Then an Order Was Drawn on
Lieut James Davis Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Nathaniel
Sargent the Sum of Eleven Shillings it being for the
Tobon officers Expenses When Sworn - £11-0-

751 Gloucester Appril of 12/1727 Then An Order Was
Drawn on the Town Treasr to pay to Mr Samuel
Herrick for the use of of Prossent the sum of Twelve
pound one Shilling By Reason the Ministers Rate was
under Levied & there Proportion Cums To the Mung A
Bou mentioned - - - - - 12-01-0

Gloucester Novemr the 1/1727 Then An order was Drawn
on the Town Treasr Licut James Davis to pay to
Mr Charles Glouc for his pains It being for keeping
of books from the third day of July to the third
May of October for thirty days - - - - - 15-01-0

At A meeting of the Selectmen Gloucester December 1727
Then a order was Drawn on Licut James Davis Town
Treasr to pay to Eper Sargent Esq Twenty Shillings
it being for Swairing the Town officers - £1-00

At a meeting a bords said Then a order was Drawn on
Licut James Davis Town Treasr to pay to Thomas
Bray the sum of four pound Two Shillings & 4 It
being for Looking after Edoth Haskel & John Kent
- £4-02

At a meeting a bords said Then a order was Drawn
on Licut James Davis Town Treasr to pay to
James Huce the sum of Three pound Eleven Shillings
& Six pence it for Carpenters Work Don on the meeting
house - £3-11-6

At a meeting of the Selectmen Gloucester December 1727
Then a order was Drawn on Licut James Davis Town
Treasr to pay to Ezekel Woodard Junr the sum
of Twelve pound Eighteen Shillings & Nine pence it
being Eight pound Eighteen Shillings & 9 for mending
the meeting house glass and Twenty Shillings & 4
for mending the School house glass - - - £12-18-9

At a meeting a bords said Then a order was Drawn
on Licut James Davis Town Treasr to pay to Stephen
Robinson Two pound Ten Shillings it being in part for
Ringing the bell and Sweeping the meeting house this
present year - - - £2-10-

Glooston Decem^r 11/1727 152
There An order was Drown on the young brother
Lieut James Davis to pay Mr John Day the sum
of seven pounds & fifteen shillings for being
an Exponer of an Intest & the fees of Court &c
Expences of the said man

Glooston Decem^r 12/1727
An order was Drown on the young brother
to Allow to Constable Benjamin Whelan At his Marking
up with your self the sum of Eight pounds Nine shillings
two pence for Rats that Cost Not so gathered & five
pounds Nine shillings for gathering the sum two hundred &
nine shillings & eight pence whis is in the hole
forteen pounds Nine shillings & two pence 14-9-2

At the Meeting Above An order was Drown on
the young brother to pay Mr Jacob Rendel the sum
of three shillings for work done on the school house - - 3-13-0

At the Meeting Above An order was Drown
on Lieut James Davis Town treasurer to pay
to Mr Samuel Horrick the sum of fourteen
pounds twelve shillings & a pence for being our
County Rate for the year one thousand seven
hundred & twenty seven & to be payed to
Carnal John Appleton Esq^r County high sheriff
forth with - Resolved Mr Samuel Horrick

At the meeting Above I An order was Drown
on Lieut James Davis Town treasurer to pay to Mr
John Day the sum of ten pounds it being the
first payment to Mr Day for supporting & maintain
ing his Sister Susannah & her Child according to
 bargain with the Selectmen - - 10-00-

Said John Day
is the high sheriff
paid for

Glocester January y^e 9 1727/8 Then a order Was
 Drawn on Lieut James Davis Town Treasurer To
 pay To Mr Charles Glover the Sum of fifteen pounds
 yt being for keeping Schoole in S^t Glocester from
 November y^e first in the year 1717 Till January the
 first in Soing the Date — £15-00-

Glocester January y^e 12 1727/8 Then a order Was
 Drawn on Lieut James Davis Town Treasurer To pay
 To Mr Benja Wheller the Sum of one pound Eighteen
 Shilings & Ten pence it being for Two mens Rates omitted —
 £1-18-10

Glocester February y^e 12 1727/8 Then a order Was
 Drawn on Lieut James Davis Town Treasurer to pay
 To Mr Joseph Allen the Sum of Six pounds fifteen
 Shilings part for the Relief of the poor and five pound
 Eight Shilings for Sarves Don for the Town — £6-14-

At the meeting a Coud I an order Was Drawn
 on Lieut James Davis Town Treasurer to pay To
 Mr John Prince the Sum of Two pounds Eighteen
 Shilings and three pence it being for the Selectmens
 Expence — — — — £2-18-3

At the meeting a Coud I an order Was Drawn on
 Lieut James Davis Town Treasurer to pay To Samuel
 Horron the Sum of five pounds fifteen Shilings and
 five pence it being for Sarves Don for the Town — £5-15-5

At the meeting a Coud I an order Was Drawn on
 Lieut James Davis Town Treasurer to pay To Mr
 Samuel Horrick the Sum of Six pounds nineteen Shilings
 and Eight pence it being for the Relief of the poor & Sarves
 Don for the Town — — — — £6-19-8

Glocester February y^e 12 1727/8¹⁵⁴

Then a order Was drawn on Lieut James Davis
Town Treasurer To pay to Nathaniel Ellery the Sum of
five pounds four shillings it being for Serves
Dun for the Town £5-14-0

At the meeting a Coven^t I an order Was drawn on
Lieut James Davis Town Treasurer to pay to Mr
James Lane the Sum of Two pounds Eight Shillings
it being for Serves Dun for the Town £2-08-0

At the meeting a Coven^t I an order Was drawn
on Lieut James Davis Town Treasurer to pay to Mr
Nathaniel Sargent the Sum of Two pounds Seven
Shilling it being in full for Rates that Cou^d not
be gather^d and for the Selectmens Expences £2-07-00

Glocester March y^e 4: 1727

When An order was drawn On the Town Treasurer
Lieutenant James Davies to pay to Mr Charles Glocester
on the sum of five pounds It being in part for
Roping Scolls In the present Anⁿ the present year
£5-0-0

On the Day Above said. An Order was drawn
on Lieut James Davies Town Treasurer to pay to
Mr James Lane the sum of Eight Shillings It
being for Serves Dun for the Town £0-8-0

Glocester July the 16th. 1728 at a meeting of the select men
an order was drawn on James Davis town treasurer to pay unto
elder James parsons the sum of Thirteen pounds ten shillings it
being for nine years Serves as town Clerk - 13-10-0

At a meeting of the select men September the 11: 1728 then an
order was drawn on James Davis town treasurer to pay to m^r
Daniel Witham to pay him fifteen pound for Roping Scoll
the first quarter of the year above said £15-0-0

at a meeting of the select men October the 30th 1728
 then an order was drawn on L^{ut} James Davis town treasurer
 & discount with Constable Josiah Ingersoll the sum of six pound
 two shillings and one pence for a payment of his last years tax
 that is to say for the several persons as follows
 John genin 3/3 William Clark 14/11 James Owens 14/11 Thomas ^{William} 14/11
 Nathaniel Bray 1/6 John Mallett Junr 14/11 Robert Randall 14/11
 John Glaser 2/10 John Goodridge 6/6 Thomas Parker 6/6: in all £6-2-1

at the meeting above there was Comitted to Constable
 James Sayce a part of the province tax Seventy six pounds
 one shilling and eleven pence also a part of the town rate
 eighty one pound and five pence also a part of the ministers
 rate one hundred twenty three pounds eight shillings and four pence
 in the whole two hundred and eighty pounds ten shillings and 8 pence
 of which seventy one pound five shillings to be paid to
 the province treasurer and the remainder two hundred and
 nine pounds five shillings and eight pence to be paid into
 James Davis town treasurer or to his Successor in &c of it

at the meeting above there was Comitted to Constable
 Thomas Figg a part of the province tax forty nine pound
 seven shillings and six pence also part of the town rate
 fifty three pounds three shillings and ten pence also
 part of the ministers rate forty pound six
 shillings and eleven pence in the whole one hundred
 forty two pounds eighteen shillings and three pence
 of which forty five pounds twelve shillings and 11
 pence to be paid into the province treasurer and
 the remainder ninety seven pounds five shillings and
 nine pence to be paid into James Davis town treasurer
 or to his Successor in &c of it

at the meeting above there was Comitted to
 Constable John Gillbird part of the province tax
 thirty five pounds fourteen shillings and four pence
 also part of the town rate thirty seven pounds ten
 shillings and four pence in the whole seventy two

three pounds four shillings and eight pence of which ^{15s}
thirty one pound thirteen shillings and ten pence to be paid
into the province treasure and the remainder forty one
pound ten shillings and ten pence to be paid unto Mr
James Davis town treasurer or to his successor in D of it

at a meeting of the select men october the 30th 1728
then an addition was made unto Constable Thomas Figgs rate
which he is obliged to pay into the town treasure over and
above his warrant: the sum of three pounds nine shillings and 8
£3-9-8

at a meeting of the select men december the 6th 1728
an order was drawn on James Davis town treasurer to
pay to Esq. Sargent Esqr. twenty shillings for administering
the oath to the town of freemen 1-0-0

at the meeting above the selectmen agreed with
Mr Josiah Kent to keep his uncle John Kent untill the first
day of march next for a reasonable reward: the Reason
why no set sum is agreed for is because the D John
Kent is some times non compassmenty and froublesome to
keep and at other times capable of earning his living so that
the agreement is conditional and the Reward to be according to
the Circumstance ther of

at the meeting above an order was drawn on the town
treasurer James Davis to pay John Haword four pounds
five shillings for mending the meeting house glass and
Schoolhouse 4-5-0

at the meeting above there was abated to Const
ebenezzer parsons for John millet 19/2 for willm kent 19/2
in the whole one pound eighteen shillings and ten pence
1-18-10

at the meeting above an order was drawn on
James Davis town treasurer to pay to Stephen Robinson
three pounds for sweeping the meeting house and for
ringing the bell. 3-0-0

157 at the meeting within D an order was drawn on
James Davis town treasurer to pay m^r Daniel Witham
fifteen pounds for a quarters wages for keeping school
15-0-0

at a meeting of the select men January the 23rd
then an order was drawn on the town treasurer James Davis
to pay Benjamin Stuart twenty four shillings for shingling
for the meeting house 1-4-0

at the meeting above sd an order was drawn on
the town treasurer to pay to Capt^t Thomas Janney
twenty nine shillings and six pence being so much
abated in his rate for this year 1-9-6

at the meeting above sd an order was drawn on the
town treasurer to pay unto Deacon Benjamin Haskell eight
shilling^s being for his head rate for this year 1728: 0 8-3

at the meeting above sd an order was drawn on the
town treasurer to pay to John Jun^r five pounds for
keeping his sister 5-0-0

A copy of the notification for the general town meeting in 1728
The sd are to give notice to the Inhabitants of the town of Gloucester
that are qualified for voting in town affairs as the Candidates
that Tuesday the fourth day of March next coming is appointed
for a town meeting day: you are therefore required in his
majestys Name to meet to gether at the old meeting house in
Gloucester aforesaid at eight of the clock in the fore noon
on the day aforesaid then and there to make choice of town
officers for the year in being: as also to make a division
of our some money in the town & treasurer hands to each
Parish their proportion if you shall so please and also
to choose a prom^t motty to make up accounts with the
town & treasurer for the time past as also to pay taxes
what high ways may be thought needfull Gloucester
February the 5th 1728 & also to give instructions to the select
men to make by laws for the good of the town

at a meeting of the select men february the 5 1720¹⁵⁸
order was given to the town treasurer to abate constables
Ebennozer Loffin town shillings and s^d pence being for the
rats of goods rapin which could not be pulled

at a meeting of the select february the 12 1728/9
an order was drawn of. Lieutenant James Davis town treasurer to
pay unto Nathaniel Sargent twenty six shillings and 3^d it being for
the select mens expences in the year 1728 — 1-6-3

at the moting above said order was given to samtl sargent and
to the town treasurer to pay to the said Sargent three pound
four shillings it being for s^d rats doon as a select man in 1720

at the moting above said order was given to the town treasurer
to pay to Elder James Sayard one pound two shillings it being
for s^d rats doon as a select man in the year 1720

at the moting above said order was given to the town treasurer
to pay to m^r Samtl Ketch four pound nineteen shillings
and three pence it being for s^d rats doon as a select man in
the year 1720

at the moting above said order was given to the town treasurer
to pay to Thomas Witham six pound eight shillings
for s^d rats doon for the town as a select man in 1720

at a meeting above said order was given to the town treasurer to
pay to Capt and now Robinson seven pound fourteen shillings
and six pence it being for s^d rats doon as a select man in 1720

at the moting above said order was given to the town treasurer
to pay to m^r John Stacy eight pound six shillings it being for
the select mens expences in the year 1720

at the meeting above said an order was drawn on James
Davis town treasurer to pay unto Daniel Witham fifteen
pounds for a quarter schooling being the third quarter
of his year agreed for 1728 — 15-0-0

at the meeting above said an order was drawn on James Davis
town treasurer to pay unto Stephen Robinson forty
shillings being so much due for sweeping the meeting
house and Kinging the bill for the year 1728 and
untill the seventh day of march next at which
time his year is up — 2-0-0

159th A meeting of the select men November 8: 1728
 An order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to
 Josiah Kent four pounds for keeping his Uncle John
 Kent for his week 4-0-0
 At the Meeting ~~March 10: 1728~~ of the select men
 An order was drawn on the Town
 Treasurer to pay to Josiah Kent the sum
 of five pounds four shillings keeping his uncle John Kent
 from the birth of Joseph & left paid to the twenty first
 of that instant 5-4-0

At a meeting of the select men March 21: 1728/9
 Then an order was drawn on Mr James Davis Town
 Treasurer to pay to ^{the} Sergeant Esq seven pounds
 nine shillings & 9 pence to be paid by the County Rate
 County Treasurer for his proportion of the County Rate
 for the year 1728 7-9-9

At the Meeting above said an order was drawn on the Town
 Treasurer for the payment of nine pounds & sixteen shillings
 unto Mr Samuell Herrick it being the first precinct proportion
 of what was drawn out of the Town Treasurer for the use of
 the first parish in the year 1727 & 1728 9-16-0

At a meeting of the select men November 10: 1729 then an order
 was drawn on ^{the} James Davis Town Treasurer for the payment
 of one pound & seven shillings ^{unto the} being in full for the interest of
 the money that he should have had last spring for his service on
 the Town the last year 1-10-0

At a meeting of the select men November 8:
 the 10: 1729 then an order was drawn on Lieut
 James Davis Town Treasurer to pay Mr Daniel
 Witham thirty pounds money out of the Town
 Treasurer. fifteen pounds of to money for the last
 quarter in the year 1728 & fifteen pounds for the
 first quarter in the year 1729 from the twenty
 first of May to the twenty first of August
 following for his keeping hool 30-0-0

At a meeting of the select men November 3: 1729
 then an order was drawn on Mr James Davis Town Treasurer for the
 payment of twelve pounds out of the Town Treasurer unto Esq Sergeant
 Esq it being for money paid to Shipp Charles Glover and for his
 duty Town Officer and other service for the Town 12-0-0
 At the meeting above said an order was drawn on Lieut James Davis
 Town Treasurer for the payment of five pound sixteen shillings & six
 pence out of the Town Treasurer unto Ebenezer Davis it being for service
 done for the Town 5-16-6

At the meeting above said an order was drawn on Lieut James Davis Town
 Treasurer to pay unto Jackson John Haraditz out of the Town Treasurer the
 sum of four pounds & shillings it being for service done for the Town for
 the Town and sending things to Charles Glover by the select men order
4-0-0

At the Meeting A fard to then an order was Drun on Licut James Daves Town Treasur to pay to Joseph Allen the sum of four pounds twelue shillings & being for salary due for the year. & being things for the Relief of Charly Elmer By the select men order.

And sundry other disbursements in the town itself.

At the meeting A fard to an order was Drun on the town Treasur to pay to Mr Samuell Herick the sum of three pounds into shilling for salary due for the town 3-9-0

At the Meeting A fard to then an order was Drun to pay to John Stur the sum of five pounds Eighteen shillings it being for the select mens expens 5-18-0

At the Meeting A fard an order was Drun on the town Treasur to pay to Constable Joseph Mayesol the sum of Eight pounds for William one penny for his Collecting the Hundred Taxes Committed to him to Collect in the year 1727 & for salary due in warning Jury men & other taxes & for sundry parsons Rate that he could not gather white he is to his full satisfaction As witness My hand & seal this 15th of 10-1

At the Meeting A fard an order was Drun on the town Treasur to pay to Mr Samuell Herick the sum of 10 pounds for the use of the town for the year 1728 & for sundry parsons Rate that he could not gather white he is to his full satisfaction As witness My hand & seal this 15th of 10-1

March the 3: 1729/30 then an order was Drun on Licut James Daves Town Treasur to pay to Mr Daniel Withem Eighteen pounds fifteen shillings which was for keeping school in to give for the month & three weeks 18-15-0

At the Meeting A fard there was an order Drun on Licut James Daves Town Treasur to pay to Mr Ezekiel Day four pounds six shillings & nine pence for the select mens Expens the year past 4-6-9

At the meeting of the select men March 11: 1729/30 there was an order Drun on the town Treasur to pay to John Gilbird four pounds eighteen shillings seven pence it being for collecting of Rates and for several abatements that could not be collected and for warning Town officers 4-18-7

May 5: 1730: an order was Drawn on the Town Treasurer for the payment of on pound one Shilling & 4 pence unto Doc David Blume it being for what he did for Charles Glover by order of the select men - - - - - 1-1-7

11 an order was Drawn on the Town Treasurer for the payment of two pence ~~seventeen~~ ^{thirteen} shillings unto Mayr. Esq. Sergeant it being for having Town Officers and money expended for the Town - - - - - 2-00-0

29 An order was Drawn on Sir James Davis Town Treasurer for the payment of Eighteen ^{pounds} ~~shillings~~ ^{into the} ~~into the~~ selectmen it being to pay our County Rate for the year last past to be paid into Colonel John Appleton County Treasurer - - - - - 18-15-0

At a meeting of the select men June 8 1730

an order was drawn on the town Treasurer to pay to Joseph Ingersell two pounds and thirteen shillings and six pence for work done about the schoolhouse - - - - - 2-13-6

June 29 1730 At a meeting of the selectmen an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Thomas Bray one pound and seventeen shillings and six pence it being for mending. Expended on John Kent on the Town account - - - - - 1-17-6

At a meeting of the selectmen August 3: 1730: an order was drawn on Sir James Davis Town Treasurer for the payment of fifteen pounds unto Nathaniel Walter it being for keeping the school from the tenth day of March last past until the tenth day of June following - - - - - 15-00-0

At a meeting of the selectmen November 2 1730. an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Nathaniel Walter fifteen Pounds for his keeping of school one Quarter from June 10 to Septe^r 10 - - - - - 15-00-0

At a meeting of the select men November: 10: 1730 an order was Drawn on Sir James Davis Town Treasurer for the payment of teen shillings unto Joseph Ingersell it being for making a gate for the pond - - - - - 0-10-0

At the meeting above said an order was drawn on Sir James Davis Town Treasurer to pay unto Stephen Leigh three pounds fifteen shillings it being for his service to prevent the small pox coming in to the Town in Remembrance Joseph Davis vessel and buying Jacob Row and for Dances he received in his Cloaths - - - - - 3-15-0

At the Meeting above said an order was Drawn on Sir James Davis Town Treasurer to pay unto James Broome three pounds fifteen shillings it being for his service to prevent the small pox coming in to the Town in buying Jacob Row and for Dances he received in his Cloaths - - - - - 3-15-0

At a meeting of the select men November: 14: 1730 an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay unto Capt John Ingersell one pound it being for his service to prevent the small pox coming in to the Town and for Dances he received in his Cloaths and helping buy Jacob Row - - - - - 2-00-0

at a meeting of the select men December 24 1730 162
 an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Ezekiel
 Woodward jun fourteen shillings for mending the Schoolmans Glass.

at a meeting of the select men December 24 1730
 Theare was abated to Constable John Day in his Rates
 in the following particulars VIZ

more abated to Constable Day
 February 16 1730
 Mr John Roberts for ahd in mending
 John mackfederick
 Thomas Keny

Joseph Day jun - - - 0-4-0
 John Dorsing - - - 0-4-0
 Nathaniel Davis - - - 0-4-0
 John Mackfederick - - - 0-4-0

At the meeting a bove said an order was drawn on Liv James Davis
 Town Treasurer to pay unto the widow m^{rs} Patience Horne the sum of three
 pound six shillings & 3^d it being for her George and Expence in Indenture
 ing and Nursing Daniel Horne & he has an sick at her house ever since the
 17 Day of Sept last past

at the meeting a bove said an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer
 to pay or Discount unto Constable John Day fourteen pound fourteen
 shillings and sixpence viz: teen pound for taking care of Susan Kenb
 and three pound two shillings and 6^d voted by the Town and
 one pound twelve shillings for Scovils Don for the Towns Habitation

at the meeting a bove said an order was drawn on the
 Town Treasurer to pay unto John millit fifteen pound it
 being for the Cure of John Coppard

At a meeting of the select men Dec^r 31 1730
 an order was drawn on Liv James Davis Town Treasurer to pay
 to Collopal John Appleton Esq^r County Tre: the sum of eighteen
 pound fifteen shillings it being for our County Rate this present
 year

January 14 1730/1 an order was on Liv James Davis Town Treasurer
 to pay to Mr Ezekiel Day out of the Town Measure the sum of 10-0-0
 teen pound it being in part for the select mens Expence year past

At a meeting of the select men January 19 1730/1 an order
 was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay or Discount un
 to John Wheeler a Constable in 1724 the sum of one
 pound nine shilling & 4^d pence it being for Jams Philip
 and Joseph Godens Ruter which could not be collected

At a meeting of the select men January 19 1730/1
 Theare was abated to Constable David Stannard in his Rates
 in the following particulars VIZ

Robert Woodward - - 0 4 0
 Solomon Davis - - 0 10 0
 John mastes - - 0 8 0
 Joseph Emmons - - 0 8 0
 Samuel Davis - - 0 9 4
 Joseph Whistene - - 0 8 0
 William Sargeant - - 0 8 0
 James Rich - - 0 8 0
 Richard Tucker - - 0 4 8
 Benjamin Haruo - - 0 5 2

at a meeting of the Selectmen January 19 1730/31
Then an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to
pay to David Stanwood six pounds and five shillings and one
pence it being for abatement and for Collecting £ 6 5 1

at the meeting above said an order was drawn
on the Town Treasurer to pay to Digniface Stace fifteen
shilling and nine pence it being for money paid to the
Constable Sawyer for the Rates of one year which he - 10 5
florist

Gloster June 26 an order was drawn on the Town
Treasurer to pay unto Mr Nathaniel Walter } 15 0 0
the sum of fifteen pounds it being for the third quarters
keeping a school

at a meeting of the Selectmen February 2 1730/31
an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay unto
Mr John Babton four } Shilling, it being for his trouble } 2 0 0
in running out of his house to accomodate Joseph Torr who
we was bound full was going to have the small pox

at a meeting of the Selectmen February 2 1730/31
an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay
to Peter Soliur two pounds and seventeen shillings
and four pence it being for Rates that could not be paid
at the meeting above said an order was drawn on } 2 17 4
the Town Treasurer to pay unto Thomas Chub it being
for helping Remove and move Joseph Torr scape when on
Jacob Row was sick with the small pox the sum of teen shilling } 10 0 0

at the meeting above said an order was drawn on
the Town Treasurer to pay to the widow Deale five teen
shillings it being for her husband helping to bury Jacob
Row who Died with the small pox } 10 0 0

at a meeting of the Selectmen February 16 1730/31
an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay or allow unto
Constable John Day sixteen shillings it being for more abatement
in his Rates in the year 1729 } 16 0 0

at a meeting of the Selectmen February 16 1730/31
an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay
to John Roberts five pounds and five shillings for services
don for the Town - } 5 5 0

at the above said meeting an order was drawn on
Town Treasurer to pay to Jack James Lane six pounds
and three shillings and ten pence for services don for the
Town and for what he expended on the pore. } 6 3 10

at the meeting above said an order was drawn on
on the Town Treasurer to pay to Thomas Withers
Seven pounds and fifteen shillings it being for services
don for the Town } 15 0 0

At a meeting of the Selectmen february 16 1730
an order was drawn on the town treasurer to pay
to Deack Ebenezer Davis nine pound and one shilling and
eleven pence it being for servis don for the town and
Expences on the poor — 11 11

at a meeting of the selectmen above said an order
was drawn on the Town treasurer to pay to Ebenezer
Parsons seven pound six shillings and six pence it being
for servis don for the Town and Expence on the poor

march 2 1730 Then an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer
to pay to Ezekel Day five pound and four shillings and twopenne it being
for the Expence of the Selectmen — 4 8 2

march 10 1730 Then an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer
to pay to Ebenezer Parsons ten pounds it being for a bigail
Littelfield and for medisons for her now sick — 10 0 0

march 23 1735 At the at a meeting of the selectmen
the day above said an order was drawn on the town treasurer
to pay to Liev William Haskell fifteen Pounds it being for the use
of the students of the westerly Precinct in due of the School master
one Quarter of a year last past — 15 0 0

At the meeting above said an order was drawn on the Town treasurer
to pay to Philliman Werner jun one pound and twelve shillings and
six pence it being for keeping the Towns scales and wants in good
Repair and for a head Rate that was met of age — 1-12-6

at a meeting of the select men may 17 1735 Then another was drawn
on the Town Treasurer to pay to Prudent Harve nine pound for nursing
and looking after Daniel Harve nine weeks he being sick at his house,
from December 24 day to march first day — 9 0 0

at a meeting of the Selectmen September 9 1735
Then an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer
to pay to Mr. Nathⁿ Walker seventeen pounds and ten
shillings it being for ceeping of School one Quarter of a
year in this Town — 17 10 0

at the meeting above said Then an order was drawn
on the Town Treasurer to pay to Eper sargeant Esq the
sum of fourteen pounds and three shillings it being for sundry
things for a bigail Littelfield in his sickness and for swearing
of town officers and for servis don for the Town — 14-3-0

At a meeting of the Selectmen october 4 1735

Then a order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to John
Day Late Constable two pounds and twelve shillings and six pence it
being for collecting of Rates committed to him in 1729 and for wearing
of persons out of town and servis don for the Town — 2 12 6

165 At a meeting of the selectmen October 4 1731 then an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Elizabeth Stuke on the account of Benjamin Giffins for service done for the Town when Abigail Litchfield was sick - 0 16-0

At a meeting of the Selectmen October 29 1731 then a order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to David plumer the Constable: three pounds and fourteen shillings and three pence it being for service done for the Town 0 12 9 and for collecting of his Rates 1 13 3 and for Rates that could not be collected 1 14 3 - } 14 3
the men that was abated is as followeth - -

Samuel Giffin - 0 7 7
Robert Parks - 0 4 8
John Williams - 0 4 8
William Price - 0 4 8
Joseph Wise - 0 4 8

at a meeting of the selectmen December 3 1731 Then an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Jonathan Brown four pounds for his damage done to him in rushing out of his house when Abigail Litchfield was put in - - - - - 4-0-0

at the meeting above said an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Nathaniel Walter Seventeen pound and Ten shillings for keeping of School from June the tenth to September the tenth day - - - - - 17-10-0

At a meeting of the select men February 1: 1731/2 then an order was drawn on Lieut James Davis Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Nathaniel Walter Seventeen pound and teen shillings it being for keeping Schoole from September the tenth to December the tenth last past - - - - - 17-10-0

At the meeting a Bove said then abated unto Constable Paul Dolive sundry persons Rates which he could not collect. Namely Ebenezer Lurvey Rates in Docker plumer list 4-8
William Brown - - - - - 4-8
Samuell Dening - - - - - 4-8
Richard Linney - - - - - 5-1
William Deale - - - - - 5-4
John walklate - - - - - 4-8
Neeley Mackedreck - - - - - 6-11
Abigail Litchfield - - - - - 6-11

At the meeting a Bove said an order was drawn on Lieut James Davis Town Treasurer to pay on allow unto Mr Paul Dolive six pound seven shillings and teen pence it being for collecting of Rates and for abatments that he could not collect and for other service done for the Town - - - - - 6-7-10

at the meeting a Bove said an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Doctor plumer Two pound fifteen shillings it being for setting a Bove for the wife of Robert Parks and visit and medicine Expended on her when she was sick - - - - - 2-15-0

at the meeting before said an order was Drawn on Mr James Davis Town Treasurer to pay unto himself out of the Town Treasuries five teen shillings it being for service Done for the Town in settling accounts with the Trustees of the fifty thousand pound Loan - - - - - 5-15-0

at the same time an order was Drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay unto Mr James Dabiel Allen two pound seven shilling and six pence for Expence of the select men at his house the year past - - - - - 2-7-10

at the Meeting above said an order was Drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Symonds Low thirteen shillings it being for carting Jonathan Browns Good, to his father and for a staple for the pound - - - - - 13-0

at a meeting of the select men march 6 1731/2 Then an order was Drawn on Mr James Davis Town Treasurer to pay to Mr John Robins five pound & teen shillings it being Due to him for time Expended in the Towns service - - - - - 5-10-00
at the meeting above said an order was Drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to James Lane three pound seventeen shillings & six pence it being for time Expended in the Towns service and what he had Don for the poor - - - - - 3-17-6

at the meeting above said an order was Drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Ebenezer Davis the sum of six pound & fifteen shillings and nine pence it being Due to him for time Expended in the Towns service and for money Expended on the poor - - - - - 6-15-9

at the Meeting above said an order was Drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Ebenezer Parsons the sum of Eleven pound five shilling & six pence it being Due to him for time Expended in the Towns service and for money Expended on the poor - - - - - 11-5-6

at the meeting above said an order was Drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Thomas Witham the sum of six pound & teen shillings it being Due to him for time Expended in the Towns service and what he Expended on the poor - - - - - 6-10-0

at the meeting above said an order was Drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Ezekiel Bay the sum of Eight pound, Eighteen shillings and two pence it being for the select men Expence this present year - - - - - 8-18-2

At a meeting of the select men March the 16 1735 at Flat Cherry Then an order was Drawn on the Town treasurer to pay to Nath Walter Jacuten Pounds aid ten shilling it being due for keeping School from Decemb^r 20 to march 9 1735 - - - - - 17-10-0

At a Meeting of the select men April 8. 1735

An Order was drawn upon Mr Ellery Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Benjamin Tar five pound which was paid by him for refusing to serve as Constable last year and voted to be repayed him on the fourteenth of March last past.

At a Meeting of the select men April 10. 1735

An Order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay Mr Samuel Wargent Two pound seven shillings voted as an Addition to his Salary for serving as Representative in the year 1729 And six shilling for service in making up with the Trustees -

At a meeting of the select men Aprael 30 1735: Then an order was a bated unto Constable John Day constable for the year 1730: Thomas Wood Bony Rates 4-8 and Jonathan Luffkins Rates 4-8: and an order was Drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay or allow the same to D Day and also Twenty six shilling for collecting the Rates in 1730 which makes 1-15-4

167 At a meeting of the select men Apra^l: 10: 1732

An order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Stephen Cligh the sum of three pound it being in full for what time Ruth Miller was at his house and they did for her - - - - - 3-0-0

At a meeting of the select men May 2 1732 Then abated to Constable James Gardner the several Purses here of named viz

Seph Crandal - - - - -	0	8	0
Daniel Fuller - - - - -	0	8	0
John Tomson - - - - -	0	8	0
Caleb Ewell - - - - -	0	8	0
Joseph medciff - - - - -	0	8	0
John Dago - - - - -	0	8	0
Thomas medciff - - - - -	0	8	0
John Bayson - - - - -	0	8	0
William Denning - - - - -	0	8	0
Samuel Denning - - - - -	0	8	0
William Denning jun - - - - -	0	8	0
Nathl marsh - - - - -	0	15	0
Richard Tarr - - - - -	0	8	0
John wonsou - - - - -	0	8	0
Michael webber one lead - - - - -	0	8	0
Thomas williams - - - - -	0	8	0
Daniel Gordil - - - - -	0	9	0
Samuel Davis - - - - -	0	8	0
James Polen - - - - -	0	8	0
George willis - - - - -	0	8	0
Samuel Parce - - - - -	0	8	0
Samuel youngloof - - - - -	0	8	0
William Tarr - - - - -	0	16	8
Samuel Parce - - - - -	0	8	0
Nathaniel Elery - - - - -	0	8	0
Thoms witham - - - - -	0	8	0
Ebenezer Pulester - - - - -	0	8	0

At A Meeting of the Select Men May 2. 1732

An Order was drawn upon Lieut Elery Town Treasur^r or Successor in said Office to pay to Mr James Gardn^r late Constable seventeen pounds twelve shillings and eight Pence for Abatement^y Collecting Taxes and Service done the Town - - - - - 17-12-8

1732

At a meeting of the Select men June 29: an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Margaret western four pound Eight shillings and 10 pence and is in full for her keeping her sister Drills to this Day - - - - - 4-18-10

July 4 1732 Then an Order was drawn on Lieut Nathaniel Ellery Town Treasurer to pay to Walter Hastings Seventeen pounds and ten Shillings it being for keeping one Quarter of a year in this Town - } 17 10 0

September 21. 1732 At a Meeting of the Select Men An Order was drawn on Lieut Nath. Ellery Town Treasurer or Successor in said Office to pay unto Lieut William Haskell Mr Benja. Haskell or either of them the Sum of twenty three pounds seven Shillings being part being the first Payment they are to receive for building the House for of Town according to y^e Town Vote of 23. 7 = 0

Sept^r 22 1732 At a Meeting of the Select Men An Order was drawn upon Lieut Nathaniel Ellery Town Treasurer or Successor in said Office, to pay unto Joseph Curlike the Sum of five pounds in Order to help him support his Father in Law John Elwell being ancient decrepid & blind } 5 0 0

Aug 21. 1732 At a Meeting of the Select Men An Order was drawn upon Lieut Nath. Ellery Town Treasurer or Successor to pay unto Margaret Weston the Sum of 6^{rs} 13^s 4^d being due for keeping Ruth Willen.

Sept^r 23. 1732 At a Meeting of the Select Men And Order was drawn upon Lieut Nath. Ellery ~~or Successor~~ Town Treasurer or Successor in said Office to pay unto Mr Ebenezer Davis the Sum of thirteen pounds two Shillings & two pence £13. 2. 2 being Money disbursed for the Towns Use

October 17 1732 an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Mather Withington Seventeen pounds and ten Shillings it being due to him for Keeping of School in this Town from 18 day of July to the 18 day of October next past } 17 10 0

at a Meeting of the Select men October 27 1732 Then an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Margaret Westone three pound and six Shillings it being for Sackeng Care of the widow miller one month past } 3 6 8

at the meeting a Gave said an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Jacken William Haskell and George Hane Haskell jua twenty six pounds thirteen Shilling it being the second Payment due for building the Towns has } 26 13 0

11 November 20 1732 There was an order Drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Daniel Witham Eighteen pounds and fifteen shillings it being to pay our County Rate for tryer as also an order Drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to ^{£8 15 0} Leu William Haskell and Benj Haskell jun the sum of thirty two Pounds and two Shillings it being five & twenty five pound ~~for~~ it for building the New House and Scaut Poll for Re paying the A.D. for the Town use - 32 2 0

Nov. 21. 1732 At a Meeting of Select Men an Order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay unto Mr James Godfrey the Sum of five pounds being part of what he is to receive for keeping of Ruth Miller £5 0 0

Decembre 26 1732 At a meeting of the Select men there was an order Drawn on Town Treasurer to pay unto Mr Nathaniel Bray late Constable the sum of Three pounds and fourteen Shilling & nine pence it being in full for Collecting of Rates and for Servis don for The Town 3 14 9

at the meet above an Order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Joseph Whistone Three Pounds in full of all Charge for Carrying Love Parker out of Town to Framingham - 3 0 0

At the meeting above an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay Mr Ezekiel Woodward jun ten Shillings and ten pence for mending the Shoolhouse Glass - 0 10 10

At the Meeting above there was a List to Constable James Parsons the following persons viz

at The meeting above
There was an order Drawn on the Treasurer to pay to James Parsons jun late Constable the sum of Six pounds and nine pence it being due for Collecting of Rates and for a Gate ments of Rates that could not be gathered and for Servis don for the Town - 6 0 9

John Card -	0 3 4
Joseph Foster -	0 3 4
Gorge Johnson -	0 3 4
Nathaniel Sargent senr	2 11
John Sanders -	0 3 4
Isaac Allen -	0 3 4
William Steward -	0 3 4
William Manning jun	3 4

At the Meeting above An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to James Gardner late Constable thirty Shillings & eight Pence being for Rates that could not be gathered £ 1. 10. 8

John Stace and John Elwell jun Their Rates

At a meeting of the Select men February 5 1732 B Then there
was an Order Drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Nathl. W.
Withington Seventeen pounds and ten shillings it being due to him for
Keeping School in this town one Quarter from October 8th day to January
the 18 day Last past 17 10 0

At a meeting of the Select men February 19 1732 B Then another
was Drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Abraham Davis three pounds
Due to his Father for time spent in the Towns Service and to Isaac Smith
he had paid to John Gutteridge for his Cords and to Abel with raised stock
field and 8 to William King for part Timber for the Stocks } 4 0 6

At the meeting above an order was Drawn on the Town
Treasurer to pay to ~~John~~ Stephen Watward three pounds it
being for keeping William Ratten three weeks } 3 0 0

At the meeting a Board an order was Drawn on the Town Treasurer
to pay James Godfrey two pound it being due for Clothes for Ruth Miller
which she was to have had ~~for~~ he took care of her - } 2 0 0

At the meeting a Board was a order Drawn on the
Town Treasurer to pay to Dea. James Lane five pounds
it being for his time expended in the Towns Service - } 5 0 0

At the meeting a Board was an order Drawn on the
Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Daniel Witham eight pounds
and four shillings it being due to him for Service for the
Town and for medicine to the poor and money ~~for~~ } 8 4 0

At the meeting a Board was an order Drawn on the
Town Treasurer to pay to Mr John Robbarts four pounds
and ten shillings it being due for time spent in the
Towns Service } 4 10 0

At the meeting a Board was an order Drawn on the
Town Treasurer to pay to Ebenezer Parker eight pound and
five shillings and three pence it being due to him for Service
for the Town and money laid out for the poor } 8 15 3

At A Meeting of the Select ^{men} February 27 1732

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to
Mr. Joseph Carlike fifteen pounds for taking care of his
Father in Law John Ellwell for the Time past £ 15 0 0

At the meeting a Board was a Board to Consider
Proclamation Day the following Persons viz

James Brady -	0 3 4	- -	Deacon John Handson one had	0 3 4
Jonas Hall Day -	0 3 4		Robert Park -	0 3 4

171 At a meeting of the Select men February 27 1732 B
There was an order Drawn on the Town Treasurer to
Pay to Constable Padabiah Day Two pound and thirteen
Shillings and seven pence it being due for Yeathering of Rats
and for a Gatekeepers of Rats that could not be Yeathered
and servis Don for the Town — 2 13 7

At the Above Meeting An Order was Drawn on
the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr. Ezekiel Day thirteen
pounds eighteen Shillings & a Penny being the Select
Mens Expences & other Charges the Year past — 13 18 1

At a meeting of the Select men May 7 1733
There was an order Drawn on the Town Treasurer
to pay to Mather Withington Seventen pounds and ten
Shillings it being due to him for keeping of School from
January 18 day to April 18 day Last past — 17 10 0

At the meeting abovesaid was an order Drawn on the
Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Samuel Stevens Sen one pound
and ten Shillings for a Rugg and Grod Sack for Samuel Stevens 10 0

At a meeting of the Select men June 18 1733 There was
an order Drawn on Town Treasurer to pay to Mr. Philimon
Warner Sen Eighteen Shillings for hangings & chain for the Stocks
and for a Sealing Hammer — 0 18 0

At a meeting of the Select men July 16 1733 —
There was an order Drawn on the Town Treasurer
To pay to Mr James Godfrey fifteen pounds which is
Part of his wages for keeping Rattle miller 15 0 0

At A Meeting of the Select Men August. 23. 1733 —
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer or Suc-
cessor in sd Office to pay to Mr Mather Withington the
Sum of Seventen pounds ten Shillings for keeping & ex-
publick School in this Town from April 18th to July 18th
last past £ 17. 10. 0

At the Above said Meeting of the Select Men
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer Lieut Nathl:
Ellery to pay to Joseph Carlisle the sum of Seven pounds
ten Shillings for keeping his Father John Ellwell from 4th
Twelfth of March last to the twelfth of June following
£ 7. 10. 0

October 22. 1733

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An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay unto Mather Withington the Sum of Seventeen Pounds Ten Shillings due for keeping the publick School from the Eighteenth of July last past to the Eighteenth of this Instant October — 17-10-0

At the meeting of the Select men November 23 1733.
An Order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Ezekiel Woodward sum five Shillings for mending the Sabbath School Glas — 5-5-5

At the meeting a Com^d was an order drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to William Hilton three pounds for mending of Samuel Dason one month in Last April and May — 3-0-0

At the meeting a Com^d was an order drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Benjamin Pace five pounds and five Shillings and six pence it being due for Clotes for Samuel Dason to this time — 5-5-6

At a Meeting of the Select Men Nov^r. 26. 1733

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Lieut William Shaskell the Sum of twenty five pounds being the County Rate for this present year, he being appointed to pay the same to of County Treasurer — 25. 00. 0

At the above said Meeting Nov^r. 26. 1733.

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Joseph Carliffe the Sum of Seven pounds ten Shillings due to him for keeping his Father in Law John Elwell from the 12th Day of June last past to the twelfth of last September — 7. 10. 0

At of above Meeting

~~An Order~~ There was added to Constable Footers List of the Poorhouse Rate one pound one Shilling & four Pence & 1st Item. this is entered among the Com^{ts} in a first part of Book.

January 15 1733/4

Then was an order drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Constable James Godfrey twenty pounds it being due to him for tacking care and providing for Rictt miller six months last past according to agreement - 20 0 0

at the meeting ^{January 18 1733/4} a bene sd was an order drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Joseph Coble the sum of ~~seven~~ seven pound and ten shillings it being due for keeping of his father law do John Elloel aged and decrepid from the Twelfth of September to the twelfth of Decem^r last past - 7 10 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men Janu^y 21. 1733

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Mathew Withington the sum of Seventeen Pounds ten shillings due to him for keeping the Publick School in Gloucester from the Eighteenth of October last past till y^e Eighteenth of January current. 17 10 0

At abstracting of the Select men February 12 1733/4

Then was an order drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Joseph Tugersel five shillings due for a candle for the Schoolhouse - last year - 5 0 0

Mem Constable Will^m Young Abatem^t & pay for gathering the Rates for 1732. & Constable Godfrey's also are Entered in the former Part of the Book among Commitments.

At a Meeting of the Select Feb 12. 1733

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr James Lane the sum of Three pounds five shillings for service done for the Town this year 1733 3 5 0

At the above said Meeting

An Order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay Mr Elias Davis the sum of four pounds four shillings for sundry for the Town & Sam^l Dawson & for service done for the Town 4 4 0

At y^e above Meeting

An Order was drawn upon y^e Town Treasurer to pay to Mr William Steffelt the sum of six pounds seven shillings being for service done for the Town this present Year 6 7 0

At a meeting of the Select men Feb 12 1733^{1/2} was an order 174
Drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Daniel Witham
Five pounds and ten Shillings it being due for time given in the
Towns Service and money Expended on the poor this years 10 0

At the meeting above it was an Order Drawn on the Town
Treasurer to pay to Mr Ezekiel Day eleven pound and two Shillings
and eleven pence due for the selectmen this year £ 11. 2. 11

At the above Meeting An Order was drawn on the Town
Treasurer to pay to Mr Ebenezer Parsons the Sum of
Seven Pounds five Shillings & five Pence being due
for Service done for the Town & Money Expended on a
Poor this Year past. £ 7. 5. 5

At a Meeting of the Select Men february 26 1733^{1/2}
then an order was Drawn on the Town Treasurer to
to pay to Constable Paul Dolliver £ 0. 6. 11

At a meeting of the Select men March 5 1733^{1/2}
then an order was Drawn on the Town Treasurer
to pay to Constable James Godfrey ten pounds it
being due to him for lackings of Ruth Miller one
Quarter of a year from the 20 of November Last past
to the 20 Day of february Last £ 10. 0. 0

March 23 1733 then Elias Davis and Daniel Witham Juniors
of the town Treasurer hands ten pounds it being part of the
thirty pounds voted them by the town to pay on the above
Comment a Gainst the town of Gloucester by the town of Ipswich
Relating Chabacker bridge £ 10. 0. 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men April 29. 1734
An Order was drawn upon Capt Joseph Allen Town
Treasurer or Successor in said Office to pay to Mr Mather
Withington the Sum of Seventeen Pounds ten Shillings being
due for keeping the publick School in Gloucester from the
Eighteenth Day of ~~the Instant~~ April January Last Past
to the Eighteenth of this Instant April £ 17. 10. 0

175 At a Meeting of the Select Men April 29. 1734

An Order was drawn upon Capt^t Joseph Allen Town Treasurer or Successor in s^d Office to pay to Major Eper Sargent the Sum of Eight pounds for his Service as Trustee of Towns part of 50000 L Loan According to a Vote of s^d Town — £ 8-0-0

at a Meeting of the Select Men May 20 1734

then a order was drawn on Capt^t Joseph Allen Town Treasurer to pay Doctor Daniel Plummer 126 one pound ten Shillings and six pence for his Attendance in his Late Sicknesse 1733

At a Meeting of the Select Men June 5th 1734.

An Order was drawn upon Cap^t Joseph Allen Town Treasurer or Successor in s^d Office to pay to Mr James Godfrey the Sum of ten pounds in full for keeping Ruth Miller till the 20th of May last past.

at a Meeting of the Select Men July 29 1734

then An Order was drawn upon Cap^t Joseph Allen Town Treasurer or Successor in s^d Office to pay Mr Mather Withinton the Sum of seven pound ten Shillings being due for keeping the publick Scule from the Eighteenth Day of aprill Last past to the Eighteenth Day of this Instant £ 17-10

At a Meeting of the Select Men an order was drawn upon Joseph Allen Town Treasurer to pay Joseph Carlils hoody three pounds ten Shillings for his keeping in Father Ebroth from the twelfth of Aprill last past to the twelfth of this Instant £ 22-10-0

At a Meeting of the Select Men September 19th 1734
The following Return was made to the Jeremiah Allen Esq^r Treasurer of the Province of the Massachusetts Bay. viz:
To Jeremiah Allen Esq^r Treasurer & Receiver General of the Province of the Massachusetts Bay in New England.

In Pursuant to a Warrant from your Self, We have assayed the Sum of two hundred & seventy seven Pounds twelve Shillings & Eight Pence upon the Polls & Estates within our Town & committed the same

Same.

Same to be collected in Manner following viz
 To Constable Samuel Hodgkins junr. One hundred & Eighteen
 Pounds twelve Shillings & Eight Pence
 To Constable Benjamin Foster Ninety three Pounds
 To Constable Mark Haskell Sixty ^{Six} ~~three~~ Pounds
 Gloucester Sep^r 10. 1734.

At the Same Meeting of the Select Sept^r 10. 1734

There was abated to Constable Josiah Kent for John Miller one head,
 in the Town & Province Rate $7/4$

For Isaac Woods berry one Head in Town & Province Rates $7/4$ 7-4

There was allowed to Constable Kent for Service done for of Town 3. 0

For gathering Eighty Pounds rate $53/8$ £ 2. 13. 8

For keeping of John Kent 14 Weeks 107. - - - 5. 0. 0

For All Which Sums an Order was drawn upon of
 the Town Treasurer at the Same Time, 2 18. 4

At the Same Meeting of Select Men September 10. 1734

There was abated to Constable Benjamin Foster the following Rates viz

Jonathan Norwood's Town & Province Rate $7/4$

Jonathan Harraden 7. 4

John Allen 7. 4

John Low for 1/2 Sloop Town & Province 13. 4

Josiah Norwood 15/6 15 6

Allowed to Constable Benjamin Foster the Sum of three pounds twelve
 Shillings & Eight Pence for gathering £ 109. 3. 4. - £ 3. 12. 8

For Service done for the Town 13/ - 13. 0

For All Which Sums An Order was drawn upon of
 Town Treasurer to pay of Same to of said Benj. Foster £ 6. 17. 8

At the Same Meeting of Select Men Sept^r 10. 1734

The following Heads were abated in of Town & Province List Comitted
 to Constable John Collins viz

Francis Durgin 7. 4 Josiah Clement 7. 4

Seth Patee 7. 4 Josiah Nicholls 7. 4

Samuel Middleton 7. 4 King Calf 7. 4

Josiah Black 7. 4 Josiah Jewett 7. 4

Joseph Smith 7. 4 James Coney 7. 4

There was allowed to Constable John Collins Six pounds two shillings & 8
 Pence for gathering 124 £ 10. 3. And for

Service done for of Town one pound Eight Shillings & nine pence 1. 8. 9

For all which Sums he had an Order upon the Town Treasurer
 to receive the Same of him.

177 At a Meeting of the Select Men Octob^r 31. 1734
An Order was drawn of upon Cap^t. Joseph Allen Town Treasurer
or Successor to pay to Mr Parker Morse the Sum of Seventeen
Pounds ten Shillings for keeping the Town School from the
29th of July last to the 29th of this Instant October 17. 10th.

At a Meeting of the Select Men December 19. 1734
An Order was drawn upon Cap^t. Joseph Allen
Town Treasurer or Successor in said office to pay to
Mr Benjamin Pater the Sum of twelve pounds
Six Shillings and Six pence for keeping Sawmill
Solan twenty five weeks Last past
£12-6-6

At the Meeting of the Select men on the Day of the next
and An Order was drawn on Joseph Allen Town Treas^r
to pay unto Mr James Goffe twenty pounds it being
for his keeping the hid den miller from the twenty day
of May to the twenty day of November 1734 20-0-0

At the Meeting a. Come so. Then an order was
drawn on Cap^t. Joseph Allen Town Treasurer to
pay to Mager Ephs Sargent for the Sum of
four pounds for services Done that year
this tree years past in Swearing town
oficers and mager Sargentall. Deturds to the
clark of the Sations for women peple out
of town

at the meeting a come so then an order
was drawn on Cap^t. Joseph Allen Town
Treasurer for the Sum of three pound
for the Report of the widow Nason in
her Low - Successor and ones

At a Meeting of the Select men February the 11. 1734. an order was
drawn on Joseph Allen Town Treasurer to pay to Samuel John ap plester
County treas^r thirty one pounds five Shilling which is one part
of the Carby Rate for the year in thousand four hundred of thirty four.
31-5-0

At the Meeting of the Select men A bon mentioned an order was
drawn and that Town Treasurer to pay Constable John Collins
three pound two Shillings for his service in being a Cat mone in hindy
pan jons Rute that was not be collected. 3-2-5

1737
 Gloster February the 11: 1737
 the following A cate monies
 to be & p^rovide tax wth

Capt. William Bond 0-7-4
 Robert Bond 0-11-1
 Robert Bond 0-0-0
 Robert Bond 0-7-4
 Annanias Brown 0-7-4

At a Meeting of the select men 1738
 now made to the Hon^{ble} John Collins of this
 town
 Jeroniah Tarbox 0-7-4
 Joshua Prince 0-7-4
 Nathaniel Wether 0-3-9
 Ebenezer Lane 0-7-4
 John Lane 0-7-4

total sum
 3 = 2 - 9

At a Meeting of the Select Men March 4th 1737

An Order was drawn upon Capt. Joseph Allen Town Treasurer
 or Successor in said Office to pay to M^r Parker M^r or for the Sum
 of Seventeen Pounds ten Shillings due for keeping School in the
 Town till the twelfth Day of February last Past £ 17. 10. 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men March 4th 1737

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer Cap^t Joseph
 Allen or Successor to pay to Cap^t Joseph Allen the Sum of
 three pounds seven Shillings & six pence for Service done for
 Town of Year past and for sundry as Board Ozabriggs Paper
 Sugar Timber for 2 Pound & two Copies of Records when he was Clerk
 of Town £ 3. 7. 9

At a Meeting of the Select Men March 4th 1737

An Order was drawn upon Cap^t Joseph Allen Town Treasurer
 or Successor in said Office to pay to Lieut. William Ashwell
 the Sum of One Pound fifteen Shillings for keeping John Kent
 at Benj^a Roberts' House And one Pound four for keeping him at
 his House being in the whole fourteen Weeks And four Pounds ten
 Shillings for Service done for the Town of Year past £ 7. 9. 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men March 4th 1737

An Order was drawn upon Cap^t Joseph Allen Town Treasurer
 or Successor in said Office to pay to Daniel Witham the Sum
 of four Pounds two Shillings and Six pence for Service done
 for the Town of Year past £ 4. 2. 6

At a Meeting of the Select Men on 4th of March 3rd 1737

An Order was drawn upon Cap^t Joseph Allen Town Treasurer
 or Successor to pay to M^r James Lane the Sum
 of fourty Shill for Service done for the Town of Year past
 £ 2. 0. 0

At the Same Meeting of the Select Men March 4th 1737

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer
 Cap^t Joseph Allen or Successor to pay to J^r Estate of M^r Elias
 Davis Dec^d Sum of Three pounds Seven Shillings and Six pence
 being for Service done by J^r Dec^d for Town of Year past

At A Meeting of the Select Men March 3 1732
 An Order was drawn upon Cap^t. Joseph Allen Town Treasurer
 or Successor to pay to Joseph Carlile the Sum of fifteen
 Pounds being for keeping his Father in Law John Elwell
 from the twelfth Day of September last till of twelfth
 Day of this Instant March - £ 15. 0. 0

At the Same Meeting of the Select Men March 3 1732
 An Order was drawn upon Cap^t. Joseph Allen Town Treasurer
 or Successor to pay to Mr Ezekiel Day the Sum of Eight
 Pounds nine Shillings & four Pence being the Expenses of
 the Select Men the Year Past. £ 8. 9. 4

At the Same Meeting of the Select Men March 3
 1732 The following Rates were debated to Constable
 Eliezer Parsons who was constable in 1732 viz

Rowland Batten's Head	8. 4	Samuel Dawson	8. 4
Cap ^t W ^m Card	13. 4	David Elwell	10. 1
John Card	8. 4	Joseph Foster	8. 4
John Elwell	8. 4	Josiah Grover	8. 4
Ebenezzer Collins	8. 4	Robert Giddings	9. 6
Nathaniel Sargents	7. 7	John Sanders	8. 4
Jeremiah Bootman	8. 4	William Brown	8. 4
Joshua Prime	8. 4	Thomas Dwyer	8. 4
Robert	5. 0	Eben ^t . Parsons jun ^r	8. 4
Nathaniel Woodward	5. 0	Edward Cary	3. 4
Gabriel Peacocks	3. 4	Nicholas Denning	3. 4

Amounting in the Whole to £ 8. 8. 7
 For which Sum of Eight Pound, Eight Shillings & seven Pence
 As also for two pounds three Shillings for Warning Town Meetings
 Town Officers & making Return of Jurors to Court and
 also for six pounds Eleven Shillings for gathering Rates 196. 12. 3
 in of Year 1732. An Order was drawn upon Cap^t Joseph
 Allen Town Treasurer or Successor to be paid to of said Eliezer
 Parsons. £ 17. 2. 7

At a meeting of the Select men April 22 1735
 an Order was drawn upon Cap^t Joseph Allen Town
 Treasurer to pay to Richard Tolliver the Sum of six pound
 for Sucking after of George Pillsbys to that day

at a meeting of the select men May 19 1735 180
was an order drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to ~~Cap~~
Doct David Plummer one pound and ten shillings for medicines
Expended on the poor widow Neason and her sick son 1 10 0

At a meeting of the Select Men May of 21. 1735
An Order was drawn upon Cap Joseph Allen Town Treas-
urer or Successor in said Office to pay to y^e Estate of Mr
Elias Davis Dec: the Sum of two pounds nine Shillings
for sundry ~~for sundry~~ as for account dated July 26
1734 signed Benja Bondstreet James Davis Exec: and
fifteen Shillings which Major Sargent demands for going
to Boston to file reasons of Appeal in the Case Against Ipswich
more than is allowed to y^e Agents in their Account; And
Seven pounds Seven Shillings & eleven pence being the
remainder to Ballance the Agents Account before what was
paid to y^m in Cash & by the Execution Against Ipswich
£ 10 - 11 - 11

At a meeting of the select men May 22 1735
an order was drawn on Cap Joseph Allen Town
Treasurer to pay to James Godfrey twenty pound for keep-
ing the widows miller from the Twentieth of November
last past to May the twentieth this present year 1735
20 0 0

at a meeting of the Select men June 30 1735 an order was
drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Cap Nathaniel Estery
four Shillings and eight pence it being for a head rated in 1733 that
was not of age then 50 4 8

July 15th 1735. Then an order was drawn on the
Town Treasurer, to pay to the Committee of Ipswich
about the Case of Chelaco Bridge, the Sum of Seventy
Seven Pounds, Sixteen Shillings & ten pence, being the
Satisfy Judgment recovered against the town of Gloucester
at the last Superior Court. £ 77 - 16 - 10

July 15th 1735. Then an Order was drawn on the
Town Treasurer, to pay to the Agents against Ipswich
in the Case of Chelaco Bridge, the Sum of ten pounds
Eighteen Shillings, & four pence, According to a Vote
of the Town dated in the Town Clerks Book
Which accepted the said Agents Account

£ 10 - 18 - 0

181 September 22 1735 Was an order drawn on the Town
Treasurer or Successor in said Office To pay ^{to} the Parker
more the Sum of thirty five Pounds due to him for keeping
of School in the Town six months from January 29th to July 29th
last past - - - - - 35 0 0

Q At a Meeting of the Select Men of Gloucester Sept. 23rd 1735
(An Order was drawn upon Cap. Joseph Allen Town Treas.
Suren or Successor in said Office to pay to Joseph Carlile
the Sum of Eleven Pound Seventeen Shillings and Six
Pence in full for keeping his Father in Law John Elwell
till the third Day of August last past. - - - £ 11. 17. 6

At a meeting of the Select men October 1 1735
An order was drawn upon cap Joseph Allen Town Treasurer
or Successor in said Office to pay to Benjamin Caddingham
The Sum of Eighteen Shillings due for mending the Pound

At a Meeting of the Select men October of 2^d 1735
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Pile-
Warner junr. the Sum of twenty Shillings for cleaning & repairing
and ~~keeping~~ the Town's Weights and Measures and half a Crown
for Iron work for a Pound Gate. as per his Account dated Aug. 23.
1735. - - - - - £ 1. 2. 6

At a meeting of the Select men November 6 1735
Then was the following Rates abated to Constable Mark
Haskall viz.

Isaac Eucletic junr	- 1 - 1 - 0
Samuel Herrick one head	- 5 - 6
David Pulecfer one head	- 5 - 0
Abiga whealer -	- 0 - 3 - 6
Nathaniel Low -	- 0 - 3 - 0
Jonathan Kent -	- 0 - 10 - 10
Daniel Haskall -	- 0 - 3 - 0
Joseph Suten -	- 0 - 18 - 10
James woodles -	- 0 - 10 - 10
Joseph Suten -	- 0 - 5 - 6
Christifer wood -	- 0 - 5 - 6
William Stone -	- 0 - 5 - 0
Daniel Kent -	- 0 - 5 - 0

At the same time there was an order drawn on the
Town Treasurer to pay to Mark Haskall five pound eleven
Shillings for Rates abated and five pounds Seventeen Shillings
for Collecting of Rates - - - - - £ 9 8 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men Nov. 6. 1735
An Order was drawn upon Cap. Joseph Allen Town Treasurer or Successor
in said Office to pay to Gun Riddal ten Shillings & ten pence being for
Rates which he had here he having produced a Certificate that he had paid
all Rates of London Berry that same year viz. 1734.

At a Meeting of the Select Men Decemb^r 29th 1735/82

An Order was drawn upon Capt. Joseph Allen Town Treasurer or Success^r in said Office to pay Mr James Griffin the sum of twenty pound for keeping Ruth Miller from 2^d twentieth May last To 20-0-0 Day of last November

At the meeting Feb^r 17 1735/6 an order was abated to Constable John Collins Joshua Prince 7 4 Joseph Coward ordered 0 7 4 Eliphet Damiel 7 4 Joshua Banks 0 7 4

At a Meeting of the Select Men February 17 1735/6

An Order was drawn upon Cr Joseph Allen Town Treasurer or Success^r in said Office to pay to Mr Aaron Smith the sum of seventeen Pounds ten Shillings for keeping w publick school in Town from October 7th last to January 7th last past 17-10-0

At the Meeting above Feb^r 17th 1735/6

An Order was drawn upon Cr Joseph Allen Town Treasurer or Success^r in said Office to pay to Wm William Haskell fifteen Shillings for Service done for w Town 4 year past 1-15-0

At the Above Meeting Feb^r 17th 1735

An Order was drawn on w Town Treasurer to pay to Andrew Ewell the sum of fifteen Pounds for keeping his Father John Ewell from 3^d Day of August to third Day of February Current 15-0-0

At the meeting above an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to John Ewell fifteen Pounds for keeping his Father John Ewell from August the third Day of August to third Day of February The order is entered in Court

At the meeting Feb 17 1735/6 an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to: Joseph Allen Esq to pay to Samuel Appleton County Treasurer Nine pounds fifteen Shillings which are part of the County Rate that year past 9-15-0

At the meeting above said was an order drawn on the Town Treasurer or Success^r in said Office to pay to Doct Daniel Whitman six pounds and Eighteen Shillings and six pence due for time spent in the Town service and money laid out for the Town use 6-18-6

183 At a meeting of the Select men february 17 1735
 Was an order drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay
 To John Collins Late Constable one pound Sixteen Shillings
 and eight pence it being for Rates that could not be
 Collected - of the Parsons named on the other side. 1 16 8
 at the meeting a Coust was an order drawn on
 Town Treasure to pay to Deac Edmond Grover Six pounds
 and Ten Shillings it being for time spent in the Town service
 the year past 6 10 0

at the meeting a Coust was drawn on the Town
 Treasurer to pay to John Robbarts five pounds and
 seven Shillings Six for time spent in the Town
 service and money for the year of the Town £ 3. 17. 0
 the year past

At the above Meeting Feb. 17th 1735th
 An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr
 James Lane the Sum of four Pounds five Shillings due
 for Service done for the Town the year past £ 4. 5. 0

At the above Meeting Feb. 17th 1735th
 An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to
 Mr Ebenezer Parsons the Sum of twenty Pounds four
 Shillings and two Pence, Twelve Pounds six & eight Pence
 here for Entertaining a Select Men Seven Pounds for Service done
 for a Pair of Shoes for George Phillips two
 & six pence for a Sealing Hammer & two Shillings for Paper
 for the Towns Use £ 20 - 4. 2

At a Meeting of the Select Men March 30th 1736
 An Order was drawn upon Cap. Wm. Allon Town Treasr or Surc. of
 in his Office to pay to William Farr the Sum of fourty Shilling
 for Service on Board his Brother Joseph Farrs Schoop in July 1735
 £ 2. 0. 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men July 22. 1736
 The following Sums were abated to Constable Thomas Riggs; un
 being Rates that could not be gathered in the Year 1735. viz
 Edward Harriden jun^r £ 1. 2. 7
 Wm. Mary Day - 9. 0
 Robert Parks - 10. 3
 William Stewart - 9. 0
 Thomas Boyd - 9. 0
 James MacKnight - 9. 0
 Henry White - 9. 0
 Hugh Brown - 9. 0

John Meacommet	0-9-0	Thomas Morrel	0-9-0
Edward Hunter	9-0	Thomas Kennedy	9-0
James MacCleen	9-0	Thomas Johnson	9-0
Clement Sawyer	9-0	Jeremiah Bodman	9-0

In all £7. 18. 10 mem. The Above Abstemanties
 were allowed in of Town & Province Rates. 7-18-10
 Allowed to Constable Riggs for gathering the sum of one hun-
 dred Sixty two pounds sixteen & a penny being the Town
 & Country Rates in 1735 the sum of five Pounds eight
 Shillings & six Pence 5-8-6

& twenty Shillings for Warming Officers to take
 their Oaths & Warming Persons to take out of Town. 1-0-6
 or other Service before this Day. Total 14-7-4

For all Which fourteen Pounds seven Shillings and
 four Pence an Order was drawn upon of Town
 Treasurer at of above Meeting.

Eleventh Augt the 30/1736 Mon. An order was drawn on
 Joseph Allen Town Treasurer to pay unto John Ebbell from this three
 pounds for keeping of his father John Ebbell from this three
 Day of Volunteering to the third Day of Augt Current 15-0-0

At a Meeting of the Select Men Aug. 30th 1736
 An Order was drawn upon Joseph Allen Esq^r Town Treas-
 urer or Success^r in said Office to pay to Mr. Laxson Smith
 the sum of Thirty five Pounds for keeping the publick
 School in this Town from the Seventh of January last to the
 Seventh Day of July last past. £35-0-0

At the Above Meeting Aug. 30 1736
 An Order was drawn upon Joseph Allen Esq^r Town
 Treasurer or Success^r in said Office to pay to Eleazer Parsons
 late Constable in of Year 1732 ten Shillings and ten
 pence being John Newmans Rates which could not be gathered
 in of Year of 30. 10-10

At a Meeting of the Select Men Sept. 1. 1736
 There was Abated to Constable Samuel Hodgkins the following
 Rates that could not be gathered In the Province Rates
 In the Town Rate
 William Coppinger 5-6 — 5-4
 Joseph Carlile jun^r 5-6 — 5-4

William Denning	6. 6	6. 3
Jeremiah Fleming	5. 6	5. 4
John Newman	5. 6	5. 4
Joseph Farr's Sloop	10. 0	
Jeremiah Foxbox	5. 6	5. 4
Peter Hoole	5. 6	6. 8
Thomas Row	5. 6	5. 4
Samuel Middleton	5. 6	5. 4
John Cooper	5. 6	5. 4
Daniel Douglass	5. 6	5. 4
Moses Kefau	5. 6	5. 4
John Pelley	5. 6	5. 4
Josiah Clement	5. 6	5. 4
Ananias Brown	5. 6	5. 4
Josiah Black	5. 6	5. 4
Joseph Avenell	5. 6	5. 4
Bartholomew Goady	5. 6	5. 4
Josiah Nicholls	5. 6	5. 4
Elijah Lot, Daniel	5. 6	5. 4
Gabriel Dunbar	5. 6	5. 4
Joseph Smith jun ^r	5. 6	5. 4
John Groves	5. 6	5. 4
George Johnson	5. 6	5. 4
John Kennedy	5. 6	5. 4
Edmund Dwiell	5. 6	5. 4
		Robert Buntin 5. 4
		John Lane 5. 4
Capt John Prince	5. 6	5. 4
Benz ^r Furbox	5. 6	5. 4
Solomon Parsons	5. 6	5. 4

And at y^e Same Meeting an Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurers for y^e said Abatement and for One pound ten Shilling for Service done for y^e Town And nine Pounds Seven Shillings for Gathering two hundred & seventy Seven Pounds for y^e year 1734 When J^r Hogkins was Constable.

At a Meeting of the Select Men Dec^r 29th 1736
An Order was drawn upon Joseph Allen Esq^r Town Treasurer or his accept^r in said Office to pay to Mr James Godfrey the Sum of Forty Pounds for keeping Ruth Miller from y^e 20th Day of November in y^e year 1735 Till y^e 20th of November in y^e year 1736.

At a Meeting of the Select Men Dec^r 30th 1736 186

The following Rates were abated to Constable Benjamin Foster who was Constable in 1734. viz

in y ^e Town Rate	in y ^e Province Rate
Nathl Benet 5-6	5-4
Samuel Bootman 5-6	5-4
Joseph May - 7-9	Robert Young 5-4
Andrew Grimms 5-6	5-4
Samathan Hamden 5-6	5-4
Edward Hamden 5-6	5-4
Joshua Norwood 2-3	Thomas Goff 6-4
Joshua Norwood 5-6	5-4
Moss Riggs 7-1	12-7
John Stanwood ~ 13-5	5-4
William Steward 5-6	5-4
Andrew Mitchell 5-6	5-4
George Bear 5-6	5-4
Samuel Woodberry 5-6	5-4
John Johnson 5-6	5-4
Thomas Johnson 5-6	5-4
Calment Saloyon 5-6	5-4
5-2-0	Sam Sargent Jan 5-4 for his Son ad of age
	Thomas Kinnedy 5-4
	James M ^r Killen 5-4
	John McLaughlen 5-4
	John Lane jun ^r 5-4
	Benjamin Lurvey 5-4
	Samuel Middlelon 5-4
	6-10-11

Total Abate ments - £ 11. 12. 11

There was at y^e Same meeting allowed to y^e said Constable Foster Six Pounds ten Shill. & two pence for Collecting one hundred & ninety five Pounds five Shilling & one Penny and Two Pounds sixteen Shillings & eleven Pence in full for service done for y^e Town in y^e year 1734. 6. 10. 2

for all which Sums in y^e whole twenty one Pounds and order was drawn upon y^e Treasurer of y^e Town to pay to y^e said Constable Foster. 2. 16. 11

At y^e Same Meeting Dec^r 30th 1736 Town Treas^r

An Order was drawn upon y^e Joseph Allen Esq^r or success^r in said Office to pay to Mr Aaron Smith the Sum of Seventeen Pounds ten Shill. for keeping y^e publick School in Town from y^e Seventh of July to y^e Seventh of October last past. £ 17. 10. 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men Feb^r 13th 1736

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Eben^r Parsons fifteen Shillings & six pence for One Pair of Shoes and one Pair of Shillings deliv^d to George Philips in 1735/6.

187. At the Meeting of the Select Men March 7th 1736

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer Joseph Allen Esq^r or Success^r in said Office to pay the Sum of Nine Pounds in full for keeping Corp^s Philips one of the Poor of the Town till his Death his Buriall & all other Charges for 4th Year past. £9. 0. 0

At the afores^d Meeting of the Select Men March 7th 1736

An Order was drawn upon the Treasurer Joseph Allen Esq^r or Success^r in said Office to pay to James Goffrey for keeping Ruth Miller from the 20th of November to the 20th of February last past. £10. 0. 0

At the same Meeting of the Select Men March 7th 1736

An Order was drawn upon Joseph Allen Esq^r Town Treasurer or Success^r in said Office to pay to Mr. James Davis jun^r the Sum of five Pounds Eight Shillings for service done for the Town & many paid by the Select Men's Order in the Town's Behalf. £5. 8. 0

At the same Meeting of the Select Men March 7th 1736

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr. Ezekiel Day the Sum of thirty Eight Shillings & five Pence being the 4th Select Men's Expenses in 4 years 1735 & 1736. £1. 18. 5

At the Above Meeting March 7th 1736

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr. John Roberts the Sum of five Pounds five Shillings for Service done for the Town the year past. £5. 5. 0

At the Above Meeting March 7th 1736

An Order was drawn upon the Treasurer of Town to pay to Joseph Allen Esq^r the Sum of five Pounds twelve Shillings & six Pence for Service done for 4th Town & all money expended in the Town's Behalf for 4th year past. £5. 12. 6

At the Above Meeting March 7th 1736

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Daniel Witham twelve Pounds fourteen Shillings for Service done for 4th year past for Expenses in Burying Charles Glover & for Medicines & Attendance in his said Grovers Sickness. £12. 14. 0

At the Above Meeting March 7th 1736

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Jonathan Ingersell the Sum of fourteen Pounds fifteen Shillings and Nine Pence being the Select Mens Expenses this year past. £14. 15. 9

At a Meeting of the Select Men April 5th 1737

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Joseph Gardner four Pounds ~~in full~~ in Part for keeping John Ellwell from 23rd of March last to 24th twenty Third of June next & for one Shirt for him for Ellwell value Eighteen Shillings. £4. 0. 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men April 4th 1737 188

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Stephen Robinson twenty four Shillings for ringing the Bell and Sweeping the Meeting House for publick Days according to the Vote of the Town.

L. 1. 4. 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men May 16. 1737

An Order was drawn upon the Treasurer Jos. Allen Esq^r or his Successor in said Office to pay to Richard Doliver Six pounds in full for keeping George Philips till his death L. 6. 0. 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men May 16. 1737.

An Order drawn upon the Town Treasurer Joseph Allen Esq^r or Successor in said Office to pay to Mr Aaron Smith the Sum of thirty five Pounds for keeping School from the 1st Day of October last to the 17th Day of April last past.

L. 35. 0. 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men Octob^r 28. 1737

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer Joseph Allen Esq^r his Successor to pay to Mr Polatich Day Exor^r of J^{as} Will of his Exor^r the Sum of one Pound sixteen Shillings & three pence being the Select Men's Expenses at his & Decasse's House this present year.

L. 1. 16. 3

At a Meeting of the Select Men Nov^r 10. 1737

It is ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to James Godfrey or his Order the Sum of twenty Pounds for keeping Ruth Miller from the 20th of February to the 20th of August last past.

L. 20. 0. 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men February 14th 1737

An Order was drawn upon Joseph Allen Esq^r Town Treasurer or Successor in said Office to pay to James Godfrey or his Order the Sum of twenty Pounds for keeping Ruth Miller from the 20th of August last till the 20th of February current.

At a Meeting of the Select Men February 14th 1737

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer or Successor in said Office to pay to Andrews Elwell three pounds & eight pence for fourteen loads of Banabriggs for John Elwell his Father in Law and nineteen Pounds & three and four Pence for keeping his said Father John Elwell from the 5th of August pre-
sented of 23rd of March last past.

At a Meeting of y^e Select Men February 14th 1737
 An Order was drawn upon y^e Town Treasurer ^{instruct} to pay to
 Isaac Hodgkins Jun^r Rate Constable ten Shillings and ten
 pence being what Jonathan Parsons was overrated in 1735
 and twenty nine Shillings & two pence for Service done
 for y^e Town when said Hodgkins was Constable.

At a Meeting of the Select Men February 15th 1737
 It is ordered that y^e Town Treasurer Joseph Allen Esquire or
 Successor pay Mr Jonathan Ingersoll or his Order fifteen Pounds
 two Shillings & five Pence being y^e Expences of y^e Select
 Men at his House in y^e year 1737. 15. 2. 7

It is ordered that y^e said Town Treasurer or Successor pay
 to Mr James Davis Jun^r one Pound sixteen Shillings & seven
 Pence for Expences on Isaac Jones and of y^e Poor of y^e Town &
 & four pounds Three Shillings for Service done for y^e
 Town y^e year past 5. 19. 7

It is ordered that y^e said Treasurer or Successor pay to Mr
 John Sargent y^e Sum of four pounds two Shillings &
 Six for Service done for y^e Town y^e year past 4. 2. 6

It is ordered that y^e said Treas^r or Success^r pay to m^r
 Aaron Smith ^{wh^y order} y^e Sum of fifty two pounds ten Shillings
 for keeping School from y^e 17th Day of April last till y^e
 17th Day of January last past 52. 10. 0

It is ordered that y^e said Treasurer or Successor pay
 to Mr Edmund Grover or his Order y^e Sum of Three
 pounds Seven Shillings and Six pence for Service done
 for y^e Town y^e year past 3. 7. 6

It is ordered that y^e said Treasurer or Successor
 pay to Mr John Robbarts or his Order the Sum of
 three pounds twelve Shillings and Six pence for Service
 done for y^e Town y^e year past 3. 12. 6

It is ordered that y^e said Treasurer or Successor
 pay to Daniel Witham or his Order the Sum of Six
 Pounds Eleven Shillings & Six pence twenty five Shillings
 whereof for sundry Medicines & attendance on John Ellwell
 dec. & y^e rest for Service done for y^e Town y^e year past
 6. 11. 6

At a meeting of The Selectmen April 3 1738 / 190
An Order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to
John Collins the sum of one pound and ~~two~~ shillings and
seven pence: it being for a battenment of Rates 1732 -
Le Card Giddings 8 0 Frances Pinket 8 0 Joseph Corbridge jun.
William Fenning - 8 3 - - - - - } (1-127

At a Meeting of the Selectmen April 3^d 1738
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to
Mr John Sargent Constable the sum of two shillings noted
to be given him for serving in the Office of Constable the
year Enant. £ 12 0 0

At a meeting of the Selectmen May 19 1738 -
An Order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay
to Thomas Oakes the sum of Three Pounds in full
for what he bore in keeping his Mother in Law Jane Jones
Till this Day 3 0 0

At a Meeting of the Selectmen May 25th 1738
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer Joseph Allen
Esq or Successor in said Office to pay to Mr Aaron Smith
the sum of Seventeen pounds ten shillings in full for keeping
the Grammar School in this Town from January 1st 17th to
April 17th last past.

At a Meeting of Select Men May 25th 1738
An Order was drawn upon Joseph Allen Esq Town Treasurer or his
Successor in said Office to pay to John Appleton Esq County
Treasurer of sum of nineteen Pounds Eighteen shillings and ten
pence being this Towns Proportion of County Rates in the
year 1736.

At a Meeting of the Select Men May 31. 1738
An Order was drawn upon Joseph Allen Esq Town Treasurer or
his Successor in said Office to pay to Zerubabel Allen the sum
of nineteen Pounds it being due to him for Erecting & making
a new Pound and five shillings & six pence for haling a Load
of Wood to the Widow Hamock Day.

Glocester May of 31st 1738

Adjusted Accounts with the Select Men of Glocester and there was in My Hands as Town Treasurer the Sum of Sixty four Pounds one Shilling & ten pence in Cash and outstanding in Severall Constables the Sum of three hundred and twenty one Pounds Eight Shillings and five Pence without any Allowance for my Service as Treasurer
Joseph Allen Esq^r

At a Meeting of the Select Men June 20th 1738
The following Rates were abated to Joseph Henrick Constable in the Year 1735 viz

Stephen Burnum	£ 9-0
Daniel Goudon	9-0
Thomas Grolon	9-0
Thomas Williams	9-0
George Toppin	9-0

At the same Meeting of the Select Men June 20th 1738
An Order was drawn upon Joseph Allen Esq^r Town Treasurer or Successor in ^{his} Office to pay to Constable Joseph Henrick the above written forty five Shillings being Rates abated & Seventeen Shillings for Service done for the Town and four Pounds one Shilling for Gathering £ 120. When he was Constable.
£ 4 = 18-0

At a Meeting of the Select Men June 20th 1738
An Order was drawn upon Joseph Allen Esq^r Town Treasurer or Successor in ^{his} Office to pay to Aaron Riggs Constable in ^{the} Year 1738 the Sum of ten pounds Eighteen Shillings & one Penny Six pence ten Shillings whereof is for Gathering one hundred & ninety four Pounds Seventeen Shillings & one Penny & the Remainder four Pounds Eight Shillings & one penny for Rates that were abated to him as follows viz

	In of Town Rate	In of Province Rate
John Leech	5-0	7-6
John Robinson	5-0	7-6
Rich ^d Smith	5-0	7-6
John Stanwood		7-6
Will ^m Jeffords	7-2	10-11
W ^m Andrews his Head	5-0	7-6
Eliphalet Daniel	5-0	
		£ 10 = 18-1

Atra meeting of the Select men June 20 1738

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There was a ballot to Ebenezer Pulcefer Late Constable the follow persons viz Joseph Baynton 2 10 2

Josiah Clement - 12-6	John Jennings - 12 6
Josiah. Wickets - 12 6	John Steward - 12 6
Josiah. Parson Steacie 18-6	William Field - 12 6
Ezekel Woodward clerk 12-6	Joseph Trizzel - 12 6
William Mace Daniels - 12 6	John Harris - 12 6
John Groves - 12 6	James Ingersoll - 12-6
Jonathan Averel 12-6	Daniel Dugless - 12 6
James Averel 12 6	Isaac Hall - 12 6
Joseph Cortile jun 12 6	Constantine Jostom 12 6
George William - 16 8	William More - 12 6
Joshua Tucker - 12 6	Isaac Hawse - 12 6
William Denning - 5 10	Joseph Cortile 17 3

at the meeting a ballot an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer or successor in said office to pay to Ebenezer Pulcefer Late Constable the sum of Nineteen pound five shillings and two pence being for Rates undelivered and Eleven pound fourteen shillings and eight pence for feathering 35 17 2

At a meeting of the Selectmen September 18 1738 an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer or Successor in said office to pay to Edmund Hall the sum of thirty six pound Twelve shillings and six pence it being due to him for one hundred and sixty pound of Powder which he has provided for the Towns Stock - 36 12 6

At a meeting of the select men September 18 1738 - there was a ballot to Thomas Riggs Late Constable the following persons

Jonathan Averell - 13-6	James Ingersoll - 16-3
Daniell Gibbs - 1-0-0	Jeremiah Flemon - 16-3
Robert Miller - 16-3	Andrew Sargent - 16-3
John Adelster - 1-2-6	Samuell Wallis - 16-3
Daniell Dugless 16-3	Nathanial Rust for 16-3
Constantine Jostline 16-3	Richard Lonsford - 1 2 2
Antony Bennit 9-1	David Caswell - 16 3

Ordered at a Meeting of select Men Octob^r 9th 1738
to be paid to Dr David Plummer three pounds in Order to sup-
-ply Hannah Day wth ^{the} some necessarys as Entered in
- among of Commitments of this Dates - £3. 0-0

At a meeting of the selectmen Octob^r 9th 1738
then abated to John Hadley Late Constable the following persons
Lett for town and p^rovince as followeth

John Coney - 0-11-6	Josiah Nichols - - - 0-9-0
William Cuyper 0-9-0	Joseph Smith - - - 0-9-0
Joseph Corliss 1st 0-9-0	William Mackdond 0-9-0
William Denning 0-10-7	John Gross - - - 0-10-11
Jeremiah Fleming 0-9-0	John Cannedy - - - 0-9-0
John Jennings - 0-9-0	Edward Dorian - 0-9-0
Reb ^l ard Miller - 0-9-0	Thomas Osbey - 0-9-0
John Numan - 0-10-11	Jeaus Ingerspet - 0-9-0
Ozary p ^r eson - 0-9-0	William field - 0-9-0
Francis Pinket - 0-9-0	Georg Giddings - 0-9-0
John Standard - 0-9-6	John Harris - 0-9-0
Georg Williams - 0-3-8	William Jackson 0-9-0
Isaac Haws - 0-10-7	Isaac Hall - 0-9-0
John Cochran - 0-9-0	Joshua Tucker - 0-9-0
Josiah Coment 0-9-0	Jeams mitchel 0-9-0
Barthome Gredi 0-9-0	Constantine Jester 0-9-0

^a Totall

At a Meeting of the select Men Octob^r 9th 1738
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr John
Hadley Late Constable in y^e year 1738 the Sum of fourteen Pounds
Eleven Shillings and four pence being the above entered Abalements
Eleven Pounds ten Shillings and four Pence for Gathering Rates and
for Service done for y^e Town when he was Constable
Totall £. 26- 1- 8

Gloster April 2 1763 y^r humbell petition of samuell haries
to y^e gentlemen ~~of~~ ^{of} this town gentlemen
y^e would acquaint youe of y^e poor surcomstance y^e am under
y^e am in a very seach and poor condition and have ben so ~~that~~
for some time not able to do Litell or nothing y^e have lost a cow
and y^e sheep this winter past y^e would pray youe to consider
my case and abate my rates for y^e year 1762 or part of them
these Coyns. from your humbell servant — samuell haries
Gentellme we who have heareunto set our heads are knowing of
of m^r haries surcomstances so think youe would do well
to abate his rates or part of othem.

Caleb Norwood
Ebeneser Pool
Caleb Pool
Ephraim Sheton
Francis Pool
Nehemiah Green
Thomas Harris and

MEMORANDUM

Mr John Dennis complains that
his Wife has been bereaved of her
Senses for great Part of the last
Year &th is a very great Sorrow
to him praying an Abatement of
his Rate thereupon

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At a Meeting of the Select Men October 13 1738

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr John Roberts the sum of three pounds twelve shillings in full for keeping John Kent from 1st of March last Day to the 1st of May following £ 3. 12. 0

At a meeting of the select men October 18 1738 There was a bill To Constable Thomas Riggs the following persons here after named

Richard Langford -	122	at the directing a bill was drawn
David Howell -	0 16 0	on the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr
Jonathan Averel -	1 11 7	Thomas Riggs late Constable the sum of
Samuel Gibbs -	1 0 0	forty four pounds two shillings and five pence
Nathaniel Rust -	1 1 3	for Rates that could not be gathered in
Isaac Webster -	1 2 6	for Rates that could not be gathered in
Samuel Bayles -	16 3	for Rates that could not be gathered in
Constantin Joslin -	16 3	for Rates that could not be gathered in
Anthony Bennett -	9 1	for Rates that could not be gathered in
James Ingersoll -	16 3	for Rates that could not be gathered in
Garnerich Plamon -	16 3	for Rates that could not be gathered in
Andrew Vergant -	16 3	for Rates that could not be gathered in
Samuel Wallin -	16 3	for Rates that could not be gathered in
Nathaniel Rust -	16 3	for Rates that could not be gathered in
Robert Upson -	11 3	for Rates that could not be gathered in
James Shorbin -	11 3	for Rates that could not be gathered in
Robert Wilson -	5 =	for Rates that could not be gathered in
Thomas Oaks -	11 3	for Rates that could not be gathered in
James Shorbin -	16 3	for Rates that could not be gathered in
Thomas Mifflin -	16 3	for Rates that could not be gathered in
James Shorbin -	16 3	for Rates that could not be gathered in
James Morris -	16 3	for Rates that could not be gathered in

Served for the Town and gathering the Rates of the Town in the year 1738 44 2 5

At a meeting of the select men October 28 1738 an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Samuel Hester the sum of one pound and ten shillings voted to him for collecting of Rates when he was Constable. 1 10 0

At a meeting of the select men October 30 1738 an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr James Stevens four pounds and fifteen shillings and four pence due to him for the selectmen's expence at his last last march and may end to this day. 4 15 4

At a Meeting of the select men Nov: 20 1738 An Order was drawn upon the Treasurer of the Town Joseph Allen Esq: or his decessor to pay to the Town the sum of thirty four pounds for keeping a school in this town from the seventeenth Day of Oct: last to 1st of January last Day of October last past in full £ 34 0 0

195 At a meeting of the select men November 20 1738
An order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay
to David Witham one pound and twelve shillings and
six pence due to him for a book to record marriages and births
12 6

At a meeting of the select men December 25 1738
An order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Thomas
Oak five pounds for keeping his mother Law Jane Jones six
months last past from May 12 to November 12 instant - 5 0 0

At a Meeting of of Select Men February 13th 1738
An Order was drawn upon Joseph Allen Esqr Town Treas-
urer or Successor in p^o Office to pay to James Godfree
or his Order the sum of forty pounds for keeping
Ruth Miller from the 20th of February last to 20th of
February instant - £40-0-0

At a meeting above an order was drawn for Joseph Allen Esqr
to pay to John Appleton Esqr County Treasurer or Successor in
p^o Office the sum of twenty two pounds four shillings and six pence
and part of p^o County Rate for the year 1738 - £22-4-0

At a meeting above an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer
to pay to William Haskell the sum of fourteen pounds and six pence
the west precinct proportion of what they pay to the second
this present year 1738 - £14-0-0

At a meeting of the select men Feb 20 1738 (9) The an
order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to
William Haskell three pounds and ten shillings due to
him for Time spent in the Town service - - - 3 10 0

at the meeting a Court said an order was drawn on
The Town Treasurer to pay to Cap James Davis Three pounds
and fifteen shilling due to him for service done for the Town -
3 15 0

at the meeting a Court said an order was drawn on the
Town Treasurer to pay to David Plummer four pounds and
six shillings due to him for service done for the Town -
and Expended on the poor - - - 4 6 0

At a Meeting of Select Men on y^e 20th of February 1738/9

An Order was drawn upon y^e present Town Treasurer or Successor to pay to Jonathan Ingersoll or his Order y^e Sum of Sixteen pounds nine shillings & one penny being the Select Mens Expenses at his House the year past £16.9-1

At y^e Same Meeting an Order was drawn on y^e same Town Treasurer or his Successor in y^e Office to pay to Mr Ebenezer Parsons the Sum of four Pounds for Service done for y^e Town y^e year past £4-0-0

At y^e Same Meeting

An Order was drawn upon Joseph Allen Esq^r Town Treasurer or Successor in y^e Office to pay to Daniel Wilham or his Order Six pounds Seven Shillings for Service done for y^e Town y^e year past £6.7.0

At a meeting of the Selectmen March 26 1739 There was a Cated To Daniel Haskell Late Constable the following Persons

Viz Isaac Millitt	3 Rats	1 6 0	Vixcey angos	- - 0 16 3
James Polons	mayor	0 16 3	James Richards	- 0 16 3
Hugh Stone		0 16 3	Edmond Clark	- 0 16 3
widow Hannah Luskim		0 5 0	William Stevens	0 3 0
Isaac Bay		0 5 0	John Millite	4 16 0
James Mallet		0 5 0	Benjamin Roberts	0 10 0
Ebenezer Luskim		0 5 0		

at a meeting a Consens There was an order drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Daniel Haskell the Sum of Twenty pounds and three Shilling and four pence due to him for Reate that could not be gathered and for Service done for the Town and for Collecting of Rates for the year 1737-26 3 4

at a meeting about an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Stephen Robinson an pound ten shillings for carrying the old meeting house and Ringing the bell for town meetings for the year 1738

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paid out saying one
it given in the book

at a meeting of the select men april 2 1739
an order was drawn on the town Treasurer to pay to Joseph Allen Esq the sum of
one hundred and twenty nine pound eight shillings and
seven pence due to for bealats for the Towns Stock
in sundry don for the Town for Riferres at Squam
and for money paid for the Town - - - 129 8 7

at a meeting of the select men april 3 1739
there was abated to Cristobal Josiah Hashkall Late Constable the
following pence viz Thomas Williams o 12 6 Ernieid Clarke 12
Naac millite o 12 6 Hugh Stone - o 12 6 -
to gathering one hundred & thirty one pound fourteen shillings
at 8/15:8:10 for warning officers 13-0-0

at a meeting of the select men april 3 1739
an addt was drawn on the town Treasurer to pay Josiah
Hashkall Late Constable the sum of five pounds seven shillings
and ten pence for gathering the sum of 161-14-8 5-08-16
and for abatements and warning town officers - 5-10-0

at a meeting of the select men aiaembet the 20 1739
an order was drawn on the town Treasurer to pay to
seams Godfery the sum of six pounds thirteen shillings
and four pence for keeping Ruth mitted from the 20
of february East to the 20 of april it being in full
for keeping her during life - - - - - 6-13-4

At a meeting of the select men December 31 1739
an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Thomas Oaks
Thirteen Pounds for taking care of his mother in Law Jane Somers
from November 19 to June next a bout seven months and for her
funeral charges and expences - - - - - 13 0 0

at the meeting a Court an order was drawn on the
Town Treasurer to pay to Joseph Hamdine the Attyd Seven
Pounds and three shillings due to him for William Radons
funeral charges - - - - - 7 3 0

A meeting of the select men January 1 1739 (at
there was abated to wron Rigg Benjamin Scotts
Rates for paying Rates at mchury the same year. o 12 6

at a meeting of the select men December 31 1739 178
an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr
Benjamin White fifty two pounds and ten shillings due to
him for keeping of the grammar school in this Town nine
months from the twentieth day of March last to the twentieth
of December in stent 52 10 0

at a meeting of the select men January 9 1739 179
was an order drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Aaron Riggs
twelve shillings and six pence due to him for Benj Scotts Rater
that could not be gathered - 12 6

at the meeting a bene I was an order drawn on the Town Treasurer
to pay to Mr Benja Goodstreet one pound and ten shillings for his charge
in providing a school master in the year 1735 - - - 1 10 0

at a meeting of the select men February 12 1739 179
There was a voted to Thomas Riggs Late Constable The following
persons viz. James Averel - 0 17 9 John Williams - 0 18 0
Samuel Nigorsel jun - - - 0 18 5 Ebenezer Testen - 0 16 3
Timothy Higgins - - - 0 16 3 William Field - 0 16 3
Samuel Farr - - - 0 16 3 Samuel Wisken - 0 16 3
Robert Hiddings - - - 0 18 11 Joseph Frisel - 0 16 3
Eliaser Elwell - - - 1 4 0 Robert Glover - 0 16 3
Robert Guntine - - - 0 16 3 John Pool - 1 1 0
John Wotton - - - 0 16 3 Andrew Riggs - 1 1 0

at a meeting of the select men February 12 1739 179
an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to
Thomas Riggs fourteen pound and ten shillings and six pence
it being for Rates that could not be collected - - 14 10 10

at the meeting a bene said an Order was drawn on the
Town Treasurer to pay to Dea James Davis the sum of five pounds
and fourteen shillings due to him for time spent in the Town
service and money Expended on the poor of the Town - 5 14 0

at the meeting a bene I an order was drawn on the Town
Treasurer to pay to Deacon William Haskell seven pounds
and five shillings due to him for service for the Town and
money Expended on the poor of the Town - - 7 5 0

at the meeting a bene I an order was drawn on the
Town Treasurer to pay to Ebenezer Parson the sum of five
pounds and twelve shillings and two pence due to him for
service and Expences for the Town - - 5 12 2

At a meeting of the Select Men of Gloucester Feb^{ry} 12: 1739⁴⁰
 An Order was drawn upon Daniel Witham Town Treasurer
 or Successor To pay to Mr. Abraham Davis for his
 order five pounds six Shillings and seven pence due
 for Service done for the Town & Expenses upon the poor
 the Year past. £ 5. 6. 7

At a meeting of the Select Men Feb^{ry} 12: 1739⁴⁰
 An Order was drawn upon the Treasurer or Successor
 in said Office to pay to S^r. Daniel Witham or his Order
 four pounds fifteen Shillings for Service done for the
 Town & Year past. £ 4. 15. 0
 at the meeting a Vote to and order was drawn
 on the Town Treasurer to pay to John Nathan Sargent
 the Sum of twelve pounds and one Shilling due
 to him for Select mens Expenses 12 1 0

at a meeting of the Select men of Gloucester April 9th 1740
 an order was Drawn on Daniel Witham Town Treasurer or
 Successor in said office to pay Mr. Stephen Robinson one pound
 ten Shillings for keeping the old meeting house & ringing the
 Bell for town meetings in the year 1739 - - - - 1-10-0

at the Meeting above said an order was drawn on the town
 treasurer to pay to Ebenezer Day forty Shillings being voted
 him in the town meeting for to serve as Constable this
 present year - - - - - 2-0-0

at a Meeting of the Select men May 29th 1740
 then an order was Drawn on Joseph Allen Esq^r
 Town Treasurer or Successor in said office to
 pay to Doctor Daniel Witham the Sum of
 forty six pounds twelve Shillings and one penny
 it being the Balance of his account as Treasurer
 £ 46 2 12 1

at the the same meeting of the Select men there
 was Drawn on John Self Town Treasurer to pay to John
 Self of the Town Treasurer one hundred twenty nine
 pounds eight Shillings and seven pence

at a meeting of the Select men of Gloucester oct 8th 1740
 Thaise was voted to ~~Cornstable~~ Constable Daniel haskal
 Late Cornstable of Gloucester for abtinent & gethings
 and a Rate for gethings besides the 12 on the pound 12
 for gethings one hundred & forty one pound 15/08/7-1-10
 for Warning officers & Calling town meetings 12-0
 for Warning Juries 10-0
 for money voted him if he would stand Constable 2-0-0
 for Hugh Stors rates 12-9
 for George Tappens rates 9-9
 for abtiments of John Roberts Rate 1-04-0
 12-10-4

at the same meeting of the Select men of Gloucester
 an order was Drawn upon Joseph allen Esq^r town
 Treasurer or Successor in his office to pay to Daniel haskal
 Late Cornstable of Gloucester twelve pounds ten Shillings & 4^p
 for rates that could not be gethred & other Charges 12-10-4

at a meeting of the Select men of Gloucester oct 9th 1740
 an order was Drawn on the town Treas^r Joseph allen Esq^r
 or Successor in his office to pay m^r Benjamin White fifty two pounds
 ten Shillings for keeping a grammar school from the twentieth of
 December Last to the twentieth of September past 52-10-0

at a meeting of the Select men of Gloucester oct 9th 1740 an order
 was Drawn on Joseph allen Esq^r town Treasurer to pay m^r William
 Stephens three pounds Eighteen Shillings & 2^p for Expence for the Select
 men & Licker when the town officers were sworn at the house of
 m^r James Stephens £3-18-2

at a meeting of the Select of Gloucester ~~for~~ 1740/11
 an order was Drawn on Joseph allen Esq^r town Treasurer or Successor
 in his office to pay Gedrah Davis Eight pounds three Shilling for Chag
 he was at for the funeral of one of the men Drowned at Squam the
 Winter past £8-3-0

at the same meeting of the Select men of Gloucester Thaise was an
 order Drawn on Joseph allen Esq^r town Treasurer or Successor in
 his office to pay to m^r Timothy Day three pounds five Shillings
 being for Carriage done the town the year past £3-5-0

at the same meeting of the Select men of Gloucester Thaise was an
 order Drawn on Joseph allen Esq^r town Treasurer or Successor in
 his office to pay Capt James Davis ten pounds ten Shillings for Carriage
 done the town & 18-03 for supplying the poor £18-10-3

201 at the same meeting of the Select men there was an order
drawn on Joseph Allen Esq^r town treasurer or successor in
office to pay m^r Gabriel Baker five pounds fifteen shillings for Jarvis
done the town the year past 15-0-0 15-00

at the same meeting of the Select men there was an order drawn
on Joseph Allen Esq^r town treasurer or successor in office to pay
Capt Nathaniel Cleris five pounds five shillings for Jarvis done
the town & one pound fourteen shillings & 8 for the poor 16:19:8

at the same meeting of the Select men there was an order
drawn on Joseph Allen Esq^r town treasurer or successor in
office to pay Abraham Davis five pounds five shillings for
Jarvis done the town & six pounds seven shillings & 4 for the
poor 11-12-4

at the same meeting of the Select men there was an order
drawn on Joseph Allen Esq^r town treasurer or successor in
office to pay Caleb ~~Clark~~ one pound fifteen shillings for wood
hats for the poor by order of the Select men 13-14-0

at the same meeting of the Select men there was an order drawn
on Joseph Allen Esq^r town treasurer or successor in office to pay
to Capt Isaac C. Little for goods Seventeen shillings & 3 being
for sundries supplied Ralph Andrews with 14:17:3

at the same meeting of the Select men there was an
order drawn on Joseph Allen Esq^r town treasurer or
successor in office to pay Capt William Cleris seven pounds
fourteen shillings & 9 being for the Select men's expenses the
year past 17:14:9

at the same meeting there was an order drawn on Joseph
Allen Esq^r town treasurer or successor in office to pay m^r
Philimon Warner seven pounds fourteen shillings
being for taking care of the town ways
and paying him & paying the Corn tithable for
warning people to bring wares to the Standard 17:14:9

Close of March 23/1744
Then a order was drawn on Joseph Allen Esq^r
to pay to m^r Benjⁿ Whitcomb five pounds
14 being for keeping school from the month
of September to the month of January last past 17-00

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Gloster March 23/1742 In Order Road a Receipt of
Joseph Allen Esq of Fleet who has paid into the Treasurers
One of way Two hundred ninety seven pounds for Shillings
being the Last two fifths of the 6000 Lorne & 5000 Lorne
pounds fifteen Shillings 10 pence interest to June and in
full

At a Meeting of the Select Men April 15th 1741 An Order
was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr. Josiah Haskell
the sum of Twelve pounds old Tenor for keeping Benjamin Son
of James Averil dec^d from the Day of ^d Averil's Death till
this Time

£ 12. 00 0

at a meeting of the Select men May 26 1741 an order
was drawn upon the Town Treasurer or Successor of the
Town of Gloucester to pay unto
Joseph Allen Esq of his order the sum of twenty two pounds
twelve Shillings the balance due to him as Town Treasurer of last
year

£ 22. 12 0

at a meeting of the Select men June 14th 1741
Drew an Order on the Treasurer or Successor to
pay unto Stephen Robinson thirty Shillings
for paying the Poll and Taxes for the
meeting of the Select men for the year 1740 part of
the meeting

£ 3. 00 0

At a meeting of Selectmen Sep^r 14th 1741
Drew an Order on the Treasurer or Successor in
said Office to pay unto Ebenezer Tabor fifty two
Shillings & Six pence, it being for Bishol Sugar
Dum and a Coffin to Nathaniel Travers Dec^d
and for one Coffin for Widdow Parfley forty
Shillings

£ 42. 00 0

At the above meeting Drew an Order on
Treasurer or Successor in said Office to pay unto
Benjamin Robinson forty Shillings, it being for
Digging a grave for Nathaniel Travers and one
for the Widdow Parfley

£ 2. 00 0

At A Meeting of the Select Men October 3rd 1741
 The following Rates were abated in Constable Thomas Riggs late
 Constable 1741
 Caleb Wood 1.9.2 in his stead in a Rate
 Joseph Allen 10.0 for a Sconestake by the Constable
 Joseph Hodgkins 1.0.0

Robert Hunter 2.17.2
 William Riggs 1.9.2
 David Hodgkins 1.9.2
 Henry Hackett 1.9.2
 £10.8.9

Gloucester Nov. 29th 1741

At A Meeting of the Select Men Drow an Order
 Upon the Treasurer or Successor in his
 Office to pay into Cap^t Isaac Collett
 three pound, 8.4. is being for supplying
 Ralph Andrews with mod^t. molofor the Windry
 necessary the Last Year

At A Meeting of the Select Men January 9th 1741
 At which were abated to Constable Henry Witham (constable for
 the Year 1739 the following Rates viz:

Nathaniel Travis.	0.5.2	William Corlile	4.6
Antony Benet.	8.7	Elisha Corney Jun ^r	4.6
John Elwell Jun ^r	4.6	John Gardner	4.6
John Howard	4.9	Solomon Howard	4.9
William Nelson	9.0	Jacob Row	4.6
John Tardoo	6.0	John Witham	4.6
James Maddox	4.6	Jun ^r Higgins	4.6
Andrew Smith	4.6	Daniel Carpenter	4.6
James Christie	4.6	Moses Prime	4.6
John Alexander	4.6	Rob ^t Riddle	4.6
Rob ^t Boyd	4.6	James Lapon	4.6
Sam ^l Elliott	4.6	Brought down	2.9.9

Brought from other Column	3-7:0	Ordered to be allow before	6
Total Waterrents	2 9.9	To Sam ^l Stevens head	4.6
for Captains	3.16.9	To Mr. Stacy head	4.6
for from 2	18.0	To Capt Wm. Mery head	4.6
for Captains	6.14.9	To William Starr	4.6
			18.0

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At a Meeting of the Select Men January 12th 1741^{1/2}
 Abated to Constable Henry Witham } £ 6. 14. 9
 as entered on the other page }
 Allowed to the said Constable Witham } £ 6. 9. 4
 for gathering Rates }
 for all which an Order was drawn upon }
 Town Treasurer at said Meeting - } £ 13 - 4 - 1

At a Meeting of the Select Men Drawn
 an Order on the Treasurer or Successor in said
 Office to pay unto Cap^t James Davis three
 pounds five Shilling for his Savvy Don for
 the Town. & Seven pence, Seven Shilling & 6
 3^d for Sundrys he helped the poor of Year
 past
 7. 12. 3

At the Above meeting Drawn an
 Order on the Treasurer or Successor in said Office
 to pay unto John Richard the Son of three
 pounds Twelve for his helping Ralph
 Andrews the Year past.

3. 12. 0

At the Above meeting Drawn an Order
 upon the Treasurer or Successor in said Office to pay
 unto Mark Haskell Seven pounds for poor
 Don the Town the Year past

7. 5. 0

At the Above meeting Drawn an Order
 on the Treasurer or Successor to pay unto Doct^r
 Dan^l Witham Seven pound Ten Shilling for
 Savvy Don for y^e Town y^e Year past. also
 for Sundry helping, Majorcy, John Davis, Mr. Pashy
 Edmund Clark, & Sundry writings three pound
 five Shilling & 6^d also Copying the rate fifteen Shilling

11. 18. 6

Whereas I have given forty pounds to Mr Nymphs Stacy for
John Wanfon's Time and in Consideration of my paying such a sum
he has bound himself to me for a Term beyond the Time wherein
he & Wanfon, dwelled be full twenty One Years of Age I do hereby
promise for myself My Heirs &c &c Adm^r & Ors Signs that in Case
the select Men of Gloucester that shall then be shall Judge that I
have had full Satisfaction for what I have paid for said John
Wanfon's Time that then his s^d Indentures shall be delivered up. —
As Witness my Hand at Gloucester this 14th Day of December 1741.

! . . . E. G. E. N. E. R. E. R. 900 l

At the Last meeting as on the other side Drow
an Order on the Treasor or Successor to pay
unto Capt Will. Elbery the Sum of thirty five
pounds five Shilling & 10^d for Entertainment the
Select men for the Year past.

£ 35. 4. 10

At a Meeting of y^e Select Men March 9th 1742
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to
pay to Mr David Stanwood or his Order the Sum of
Nine pounds Twelve Shilling & Eight pence old money
for Service done for y^e Town the Year past for Cow
Black Bird Water, Rats Ground, Animals Feed and
for Disbursements for y^e Poor of Year past

£ 9. 12. 8

At the Above meeting Drow an
Order on the Town Treasurer or
Successor in his Office to pay unto
Philemon Warner y^e Sum of
thirteen Shilling & 10^d being for
Service Don the Town y^e Year past
supplying the poor &c as a^{nt}

£ 15. 13. 10

At the Above meeting Drow an Order
on the Town Treasurer or Successor in
his Office to pay unto Capt Nathaniel Cunt
twenty Shilling being for half a Cord
wood he delivered to y^e Widdows Day

£ 1. 0. 0

At the Above meeting Drow an
Order on the Town Treasurer or
Successor to pay unto Nath. Kinsman
five pound fourteen Shilling being
for a large Chest to put the Town
Store In: and for a small one for
to put y^e Select men, Books & papers
In

£ 4. 14. 0

At A Meeting of the Select Men May 14th 1742 206
 Ordered ^{that} the Town Treasurer pay to Benjamin Boynton late
 Constable four pounds old Tenor in full for Service done for
 the Town in & said Office of Constable. £ 4.0.0

At a Meeting of the Select Men May 14th 1742
 It is Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to John M^r French
 or his Order forty Shillings old Tenor for a large Lock
 and pair of Hinges for a large Chest to keep the Towns papers
 & 2.0.0

at a meeting of the Selectmen May 14th 1742
 we have allowed to Constable Thomas Rigg for gathering of five
 hundred fifty pounds Eight Shillings & 7th old Tenor 127.10.0
 and for said Calling Town meeting and warning of 5 0.0
 and for abatement of the following for hear menched

Caleb Elwell 1.9.9
 William Rigg 1.9.9
 Henry Hackett 1.9.9
 Joseph Robinson 1.9.9
 John Hunt 1.9.9
 and Mary Langston 1.9.9
 7.16.6

to abatement for Capt Allen 1.9.9
 to abatement for Solomon Davis John Brewer & Jeanes Day 1.9.9
 to abatement for Samuel Hodgkin 1.9.9
 to Capt Thomas Tarbox & Edmund Cimbol all old Tenor 141.00.9

which we have given him an order on the treasurer for
 at the same meeting there was an order drawn on the treasurer
 to pay Caleb Elwell five pounds old Tenor for the same
 Tenor for the time he has entertained with him 2.0.0
 at the same meeting there was an order drawn on the treasurer
 to pay Jeremiah Robinson six pounds old Tenor for keeping
 his mother & ten months past

At A Meeting of the Select Men July 1st 1742 An Order
 was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Joseph Clarke or his Order
 the Sum of five Pounds old Tenor for keeping his Mother Hannah Day
 from the Day of Till the Day of
 being the first Quarter of his keeping her.

At a Meeting above said there was a order drawn
 upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Samsy Elwell
 thirty Shillings old Tenor for bringing in full for
 keeping Samsy Elwell three Months 2.0.0

At a Meeting of the Select Men Jan: 26th 1742³

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Samuel Clarke the sum of seven pounds ten Shillings old Tenor for keeping his Father in Law John Davis from the first Day of August last till the first Day of November last past. L 7. 10. 0

At a Meeting of Select Men January 31st 1742

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Samuel White or his Order a Sum of nineteen pounds, as also the Sum of Ten pounds, also the Sum of Twenty one Pounds old Tenor in the Whole fifty Pounds old Tenor for keeping School for the first half year. L 50. 00. 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men Feb: 2^d 1742

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Samuel Clarke or his Order the Sum of thirty two Shillings and another Order to pay the Sum of five pounds, eighteen Shillings in all seven pounds ten Shillings old Tenor in full for keeping his Father in Law John Davis from the first Day of November till the first Day of February current — old Tenor L 7-10-0

At a Meeting of the Select Men Feb: 3^d 1742³

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Sarah Elwell or her Order the Sum three pounds fifteen Shillings & six pence And another for three pounds fourteen Shillings and six pence in all seven pounds for keeping Sarah Clarke from the fourteenth Day of August to the fourteenth Day of November last past. old Tenor L 7. 0. 0

At the Same Meeting of the Select Men Feb: 3^d 1742³

An Order was drawn on the Treasurer to pay to Mr James Godfrey or his Order the Sum of nine pounds six Shillings and six pence old Tenor and another for the Sum eight pounds thirteen Shillings & six pence old Tenor for keeping John Heat from the twenty Second Day of May to the twenty Second Day of September last past in the whole eighteen pounds old Tenor L 18. 0. 0

At a meeting of the Select men Feb^o 1742³
an order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Joseph²⁰⁸
Clark or his Order the Sum of fifteen pounds old Tenor in
full for keeping his another Hannah Day for one Year
beginning on the Day of february 1741² till febr^y 1742³

£15-00-00

at a meeting of the Selectmen Nov^r 1743
Then there was Two orders drawn by
Sarah Elwell for the Sum of five pounds,
Whitch is in full for keeping Sarah Clark
from the 14th of November till the 14th of february
£5-2-6

February 22 1742³ At a Meeting of the Select Men
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay
to James Godfree or his Order the Sum of thir teen pounds
five Shillings ^{in part} for keeping John Kent till the 22 Day of
January last & seven Shillings both old Tenor for assisting
in parambulating Ipswich Line £13-12-0

And another Order for Two pounds, fifteen Shillings
old Tenor in full for keeping John Kent till 7th of twenty
second Day of January last past £2-15-0

At the above Meeting Feb^y 22 1742³
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay
to Mr. Nathl^l Ellery or his Order the Sum of twelve pounds
twelve Shillings ^{old Tenor} for taking care of the Poor & for Service
done for the Town the Year past. £12-12-0

At the Above Meeting Feb^y 22 1742³
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay
to Cap^t James Davis or his Order the Sum of five pounds
ten Shillings & nine pence old tenor for Service done
for the Town the year past £5-10-9

At the Above Meeting Feb 22 1742³
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to
pay to Capt William Haskell or his Order the Sum
of five pounds, Twelve Shilling, old Tenor for Service
done for the Town the Year past £5-12-0

At the Above Meeting Feb^y 22 1742³
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay
to Abraham Davis the Sum of three pounds, Twelve Shilling
old Tenor for Service done for Town the year past £3-12-0

At a Meeting of the Select Men Feb^y 22. 1742/3
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer or his Ord^r
to pay to Coll^{Essex} Largent one pound Ten Shillings old Tenor
for Swearing Town Officers of Year past £ 1. 10 = 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men Feb^y 22. 1742/3
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer or his
to pay to Mr Jonathan Ingersoll or his Order the Sum
of four pounds Eighteen Shillings & 5^d for Select Mens
Expenses at his House the Year past £ 4. 18. 5

At the Above Meeting Feb^y 22 1742/3 An Order
was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Daniel
Witham or his Order the Sum of Seven Pounds old Tenor
for Service done for the Town the Year past £ 7 = 0 = 0

At a meeting of the Select Men March 8th 1742/3
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to
Mr William Elery Or his Order the Sum of Fifteen pounds
four Shillings and Eleven pence old Tenor being the Select
Mens Expenses the Year past. £ 15. 4. 11

At a meeting of the Select men may 9: 1743
an Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to
Mr James Gooding twelve pounds old Tenor being due to
him for keeping John Kent till his Death and his in full.
£ 12. 0 = 0

At the above Meeting may 9: 1743
an Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to
Mr John Roberts four pounds two Shillings & to Mr Benjamin
Roberts two pounds old Tenor being due to them for keep^{ing}
John Kent some time & digging his grave £ 6. 2 = 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men April 19th 1743
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Coll^{Essex}
Largent the Sum of forty Shillings old Tenor for 4 pair
of gloves to be given at a Burial of John Kent £ 2. 0 = 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men August 13th 1743
Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay Mr Samuel White the
Sum of fifty pounds old Tenor for keeping the Town Schools till
the first Day of July last past £ 50. 00 = 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men Aug^r 3^d 1743 210
Ordered that Mr Samuel White Schoolmaster remove from
the Western Side of the Cut to the Western Precinct there to
keep School from Monday next till further Order from the
Select Men

Ordered That Mr Samuel Stevens Constable ^{for 1741} allow ^{allow}
Benjamin Tarboox Jun^r his Rate being Eleven Shillings &
Eight Pence old Tenor £ 0 - 11 - 8

At a Meeting of the Select Men Novem^r 7th 1743
Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to Samuel Harris
or his Order the Sum of Twenty pounds old Tenor in Con-
sideration of his taking & bringing up Ebenezer Davis
Son of Moses Davis being about Two year old - £ 20 - 00 - 00

At a Meeting of the Select Men Novem^r 8th 1743
Ordered that the Treasurer pay to Jeremiah Robinson the
Sum of fourteen Pounds old Tenor in full for Maintaining
his Mother in Law Elisabeth Robinson till this Day £ 14.00.0

At a meeting of the Select men Feb^r 4th 20: 1743/4
Ordered that the Treasurer pay to Mr Samuel White fifty
Six pounds old Tenor being Due on the Treasurer in those
orders bearing Date all february 4th 20: 1743/4 being for
keeping School one half year - £ 56 00 00

At the same meeting of the Select men an order was drawn
on the Town Treasurer to pay Daniel Haskal for keeping
Edeth Haskal till this present Day twelve pounds old
tenor Feb^r 4th 20: 1743/4 £ 12 00 00

at a meeting of the Select men
february 20: 1743/4 the Town Treasurer was Drawn
on the Town Treasurer to pay James Godson
the Sum of Twenty (Two) pounds, (Ten) Shillings,
it being for Keeping the Widow Hannah Day
three Executors of a cyser to be paid in old Tenor
£ 22 - 10 -

At a Meeting of the Select Men Feb^r 20th 1743.
Ordered the Town Treasurer to pay to Sarah Elwell or Order the Sum
of Eight Pounds ^{(Two) Shillings} old Tenor in full for keeping Widows Hannah Day
and fifty Shillings old Tenor for Shining for the Boy that was
put to Thomas Harris being Moses Davis's Son £ 8.10.0
2.10.0

at a meeting of the Select Men Feb: 20: 1743/4 an order was
21st Drawn on the Town to capture or Suffer in D^o office to pay
to Thomas Harris Jr or his order the Sum of fifteen pounds
old tenor being half of the Sum wee agreed to pay to him
to Thomas Harris Jr for taking & keeping of good Son of Joseph
Harris whome he has agreed to take & bring up till he is
twenty one years old for thirty pound old tenor £15 - 0 - 00
at the same meeting and order was Drawn on the D^o Treasur
er or his order in D^o office to pay to Jeremiah Parsons forty
Shillings old tenor for wood Carried to Nathaniel Harris in
his life & for lining to bury the Widow parson in 2 - 0 - 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men March 5th 1743/
It is ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to Joseph
Farboox or his Order five pounds old tenor in full for service
done for the Town when he was Constable & without Officer
old tenor £5 - 0 - 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men March 5th 1743/
It is Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to ~~Benjamin~~
Benjamin Kemicom^r or his Order the Sum of four pounds
old tenor which with eight pounds old tenor he has already
received of the Town Treasurer will be in full for keeping Sash
Clarke one year according to the Select Men's Agreement
old tenor £4 - 0 - 0

It is Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to Cap^t
James Davis or his Order the sum of three pounds four Shillings
old tenor for service done for the Town the year past
old tenor £3 - 4 - 0

It is Order that the Town Treasurer pay to Cap^t Nath^l
Daniel Ellery or his Order the Sum of six pounds old
tenor for service done for the Town the year past £6 - 0 - 0

It is Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to Daniel Witham
Or his Order the sum of ten pounds three Shillings and
ten pence old tenor for sundrys for the Town the poor
and for service done the Town the year past Select Men
old tenor £10 - 3 - 10

It is Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to Cap^t W^m Witham
Haskell or his Order the Sum of four pounds two Shillings
old tenor for service done for the Town the year past

At a Meeting of the Select Men March 5th 1743/4

It is Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to Samuel Clarke or his Order the Sum of Seven pounds ten Shillings old Tenor for keeping his Father in Law John Davis from the first Day of November till 1st of February last past
old Tenor £ 7.10.0

At a Meeting of the Select Men March 6th 1743/4

It is Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to Mr Jonathan Ingersoll ^{or his Order} the Sum of Seven three Shillings & one penny being Select Men's Expenses at his House the Year past
old Tenor £ 7.3.1

It is Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to Cap^t William Ellery or his Order the Sum of twelve pounds three Shillings & four pence Old Tenor in full for Select Men's Expenses at his House the Year past old Tenor. — 12.3.4

It is Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to Abraham Davis or his Order the Sum of Six pounds twelve Shillings & Tenor for Service done for the ~~poor~~ Town & Expenses for the poor the Year past - old Tenor. — £ 6.12.0

It is ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to Cap^t William Harscot the Sum of thirty Shillings old Tenor it being for a Coffin & a Shroud £ 3.10.0 to bury John Row in

At a Meeting of the Select Men March 9th 1743/4

The following Rates were abated to Constable Ebenezer Day viz
in the Province Rate for 4th Years 1739 & 1740
for 1739 Joseph Day 3.6 for 1740 In dⁿ Town Rate Mowd before
Jacob Millet 3.3 6.0 2.0 by dⁿ Select Men
Jamey Poland 3.3 6.0 2.0 orders to him
Ralph Andros 3.3 6.0 2.0 in New Tenor
Edmund Clarke 3.3 Isaac 6.0 Tolson
John Luffin 6.0 Millet 6.0 2.0 pray 4.0
Joseph Day 2.3 12.3 2.0 Ebenezer 3.0
The ~~Province~~ Province Rate, in New Tenor 12.3 To ^{Robert} 6.0
viz three for one The Town in Old Tenor. At dⁿ Same

Meeting

It is ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to Constable Ebenezer Day the above Abatement being ten pounds eight Shillings & nine pence Old Tenor Twenty pounds in the New Tenor for furthering Rate & one pound for serving Warrants in Old Tenor
£ 31.16.9

At A Meeting of the Select Men April 7th 1744
 It is Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to Jeremiah Robins
 or his Order the Sum of Twenty pounds old Tenor in full for
 keeping his Mother Elizabeth Robins from November 7th 1743
 to March 8th last and for her funerals Charges
 (old Tenor) £20. 0. 0

It is Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to Mr Daniel
 Haskell or his Order the Sum of thirty Shillings old Tenor
 in full for keeping Edeth Haskell for three Weeks beginning
 at 20th of February last. (old Tenor) £1. 10. 0

It is Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to Benjamin
 Cunningham or his Order twenty Shilling old Tenor being for
 extraordinary Charges in keeping Sarah Clark Captives
 (old Tenor) £1. 0. 0

At a meeting of the Select Men May 7th 1744
 an Order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to
 pay to Mr Thomas Bray the Sum of Three pounds
 & 10 Shillings old Tenor it being for Medicine
 and other Charges for 29th Haskell in the 3rd or
 year 1743

At a Meeting of the Select Men May 7th 1744
 An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr
 Philimon Warner or his Order the Sum of Seven pounds & 15
 Shillings & ten pence old Tenor in full of his Bill for
 Service done for the Town as Scales of Weight & Measure
 & money paid & Constable for Warning to bring in Weights
 & for one Chest to keep it Weight in value 49th old Tenor.
 £7. 15. 10

At a Meeting of the Select Men Aug^r 6th 1744
 It is Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to Mr Samuel
 White the Sum of Sixty Pounds old Tenor in two Orders
 one whereof for twenty five Pounds & another Order for thirty
 five Pounds which will be in full for keeping School till the
 first Day of July last past. £60. 00. 0

It is Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to Mr James
 Godfrey the Sum of Seven pounds ten Shillings old Tenor for
 keeping the Widow Staunton Day till the fourteenth Day of
 May last past. £7. 10. 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men Aug^r 27. 1744 214
 It is Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to James De
 merit or his Order the Sum of four Pounds old Tenor
 for keeping Sarah Jarke for one Quarter till this Day in full
 Old Tenor £ 4 0 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men Sept^r 20 1744
 An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay
 to James Godfrey the Sum of Seven pounds five Shillings
 old Tenor in full for keeping Wido Hannah Day three months &
 one fortnight viz till August of 27 last past Old Tenor £ 7. 5. 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men Octob^r 24. 1744
 There was abated to Constable Stephen Butler the following
 Rates viz In the Town Rate in the Province Rate

Robert Parry	1 - 6	4 - 8
John Williams	1 - 8	5 - 2
Adoniam Griffin	1 - 4	4 - 2
Stephen Gott	1 - 4	4 - 2
Total	£ 1. 3. 4	
Allowed to him	- 12 10	
Total	5 - 11 - 11	

for the last Imision
 for his debt wrong Coll^d
 for Sewing Constables by Vote of Town
 for Gathering
 for all Which An Order was
 drawn upon the Town Treasurer of this Date.

At a Meeting of the Select Men Nov^r 5th 1744

~~At a Meeting~~ The following Abatements were allowed to Collector

Joseph Littlehale viz	In the Town Rate	in the Province 1740	Province 1739
	old Tenor	3 fold Tenor	3 fold Tenor
William Carlile	2. 0 -	6. 0	3. 3
Nicholas Denning	8	2. 0	0. 8
James Broome	2. 0 -	6. 0	3. 3
Vinfor Ellwell	2. 0 -	6. 0	3. 3
Samuel Ellwell	2. 0 -	6. 0	3. 3
Sam Ellwell	2. 5 -	7. 2	3. 10
John Ellwell Jun	2. 0 -	6. 0	3. 3
James Gardner	2. 8 -	8. 0	4. 0
John Goodridge	2. 0 -	6. 0	3. 3
John Giles	2. 0 -	6. 0	3. 3
Jonathan Ingersoll Jun	2. 0 -	6. 0	3. 3
Ruth Lee	2. 4 -	7. 0	3. 7
Daniel Gibbs	2. 0 -	6. 0	3. 3
James Maddox	2. 0 -	6. 0	3. 3
Stephen Robinson	2. 0	13. 0	1. 4
Eben Stevens	2. 2 -	6. 6	3. 5

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old Tenor

Province 1740
3 fold TenorProvince 1739
3 fold Tenor

David Starwood Jun ^r .	7. 6	—	1. 2. 6.	—	9. 7
Nathl Travis	2. 0	—	6. 0	—	3. 3
Josiah Wallis	1. 5	—	4. 2	—	1. 5
Benj ^a Winter	2. 4	—	7. 0	—	3. 7
William Westroay	2. 4.	—	6. 0	—	3. 7
James Webber	2. 0	—	6. 0	—	3. 3
James Chuffe	2. 0.	—	6. 0	—	3. 3.
Stephen Parsons	11. 0	—	1. 13. 0	—	
Robert Riddle	2. 0	—	6. 0	—	3. 3
William Lurvey	2. 0	—	6. 0	—	3. 3
Andrew Bryan	2. 0	—	6. 0	—	3. 3
Gregory Savery	2. 4.	—	7. 0	—	3. 7
Josiah Newell Jun ^r .	2. 0	—	6. 0	—	3. 3
James Martin	2. 6	—	6. 0	—	3. 3
William Boyd	2. 0	—	6. 0.	—	3. 3
Robert Boyd.	2. 0	—	6. 0	—	3. 3
William Edgar fellop	10. 0	—	10. 0	—	
Joseph Gardner	8. 0	—	8. 0	—	
£ 3. 18. 1.			13. 2. 4	—	5. 3. 7
Wm Edgar fellop 3. 4			3	—	3
all old Tenor 4. 1. 5			39:7:0	—	15:10:9
			15. 10. 9	—	
			4. 1. 5	—	

Allowed by the Town Vote }
for Littlehale Standing Collector }
for Gathering 803. 16. 9 £ 40. 3. 9 old Tenor
for all Which and Order was drawn upon the Town Treasury
to pay to said Collector Littlehale at the above^d Meeting
Nov^r. 5. 1744. 6

At a Meeting of the Select December^y 3. 1744.
Abated to Constable, Josiah Choate
in Province Rate in Town Rate

Edmund Clarke Jun^r. 0. 4. 2. — 0. 1. 4.

John Phipps — 4. 2 — 0. 1. 4

Daniel Gourdon 8. 10 — 2. 10

£ 0. 17. 2 — 5. 6

£ 1. 2. 8 New Tenor — 4. 10. 8 old Tenor

Allowed Constable Choate for Gathering
of unity former 2^d Dec 8th £ 4. 10. 2. New Tenor 18. 0. 8.
old Tenor

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Allowed to Constable Choate the fifth Part of thirty Pounds
Voted to the Severell Constable of the Town for encourage-
ment which is six pounds, old Tenor. £ 6-0-00

At the Same Meeting of the Select Men Dec^r 3. 1744
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay
to Constable Josiah Choate the Sum of twenty Eight Pounds,
Eleven Shillings & four Pence old Tenor being the Sum Total
of the above mentioned particulars.

At the Same Meeting of the Select Men Dec^r 3. 1744
An Order was drawn upon the Treasurer to pay, to Mr Joseph
Haskell or his Order the Sum of two pounds ten Shillings old
Tenor Twenty two Shillings whereof he was overpaid in 1740
for his Son Joseph Eight Shillings for running the Line
between Ipswich & this Town last Year, and twenty Shillings for
Timber two String Pieces for Haskell, Bridge doer. £ 2-10-0

Eleven January 1744 Then an order was drawn
on the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Joseph Gardiner for
three pounds old Tenor it being for Sacking Cars
and Luching after his Sister Paster Eldoll for
Two months past

At a Meeting of the Select Men January 7th 1744
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Benjamin
Wheeler or his Order twenty two Shillings old Tenor for a Head
rated in 1743 at Ipswich

At the Same Meeting of the Select Men January 7th 1744
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to James
Demerit the Sum of Ten pounds old Tenor in full for keeping Widows
Hannah Day two Months till her Death & keeping Sarah Clarke
three Months according to the last agreement

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay Jonathan
Braine Surveyor twenty six Shillings for Timber used in repairing
the Bridge by Benet's Mill.

At a Meeting of the Select Men on 3rd Day of February 1744
Three Orders were drawn upon the Town Treasurer each of twenty
Pounds old Tenor in full for keeping School from the first of July
last to the first Day of January last past old Tenor £ 60-0-0

At the Same Meeting an Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer
to pay to Col: Epen Sargent the Sum of three pounds old Tenor
for swearing the Town Officers in 1743 & 1744. Old Tenor £ 3-0-0

217 At a Meeting of the Select Men Feb^y 7th 1744⁵

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Joseph Allen Esq^r the Sum of four pounds fourteen Shillings and ten pence old Tenor three pounds whereof was for swearing the Town Officers in 1741 & 1742 & Eight Shillings & ten for four pounds of Sugar & two Cuneas of All Spice & twenty six Shillings for four pair of Gloves for Mother Joseph's Funeral

old Tenor £ 4. 14. 10

At a Meeting of the Select Men February 18th 1744⁵

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Capt^r James Davis or his Order the Sum of Seven pounds four Shillings old Tenor for Service done for the Town & four pounds sixteen Shillings old Tenor Expended on the Widows Langford. £ 12. 0. 0

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay James Dement or his Order the Sum of four pounds old Tenor which with with twenty Shillings more in Capt^r Nathaniel Ellery's Order is in full for keeping Sarah Clarke till the 25th Instant. £ 4. 0. 0
old Tenor

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer or his Order to pay to Capt^r Nathaniel Ellery or his Order the Sum of ten pounds four Shillings and four pence old Tenor seven pounds four Shillings whereof for service done for y^e Town and the Rest three pounds and four pence old Tenor for the poor including twenty Shillings he is to pay ~~James Dement~~ James Dement or above. £ 10. 4. 4

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Daniel Witham or his Order the Sum of Eleven pounds fifteen Shillings old Tenor One pound six Shillings for Medicines and Attendance & Money Advanced for Sarah Clarke in her sickness fifty Shillings for Copying the Rate Lists 1 Shill & 3 for paper and the Remainder seven pounds sixteen Shillings for Service as Select Men the year past. old Tenor £ 11. 15. 0

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Capt^r William Haskell the Sum of seven pounds old Tenor for Service done for the Town the year past £ 7. 0. 0

An Order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to Capt^r William Ellery the Sum of seven pounds old Tenor for service done for y^e Town & Select Men the year past old Tenor £ 7. 0. 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men March 9th 1744/5 218
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay Mr
Joseph Choate late Constable the sum of seven Shillings and
four pence Newest Tenor which his List was wrong ^{Cap. M. L. 7. A}

At the same Meeting an Order was drawn upon the Treasurer
to pay to Mr^s Elizabeth Ingersoll widow of Jonathan Ingersoll
dec^d the sum of nineteen Shillings & seven pence old Tenor
in full for Expenses last Year at his House. old Tenor 19. 7

At the same Meeting An Order was drawn upon the Treasurer
to pay ~~Cap. M. L.~~ Cap^t William Ellery or his Order the sum of twenty
Eight pounds fifteen Shillings & Eight pence old Tenor being
the Expenses of the Select Men the Year past & a quire of Paper
old Tenor 28. 15. 8

At a Meeting of the Select Men May 16th 1745
Ordered that the ~~Select~~ Town Treasurer pay Mr Samuel
Whitt thirty Pounds old Tenor for keeping School from the first
Day of January to the first Day of April last £30. 00. 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men July 8th 1745
Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to Mr Jacob Randall
the sum of forty Shillings in full for a Gate & Stings for Pound.
old Tenor 2. 0. 0

~~For Mr Daniel~~

At a meeting of the Select men Sep^r 11 1745
Ordered that y^e Treasurer pay to Mr^s J^r Whit the sum
of fifty pounds old Tenor in full for keeping school from
the first Day of April last to y^e first Day of September last
£50. 0. 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men Novemb^r 11th 1745.
Ordered that the Treasurer of the Town pay to James Phipps or his
Order the sum of fifty six Shillings & Eight Pence old Tenor for keeping
Sarah Clarke from the 11th Day of September last to this Day

At a Meeting of the Select Men on y^e Second Day of Decem
ber 1745 Ordered that Mr Timothy Day Mess^r John Haskell
Samuel Hadlock & Stephen Burnam ^{or Mess^r as proposed by them} Deacon William Haskell or
or any two of them be appointed to meet the Select Men of Ipswich
on the third Instant to perambulate the Line betwixt this Town &
Ipswich.

At a Meeting of the Select Men Feb^y 24th 1745

The following Rates were abated to Constable Charles Byles
in the Province Rate In the Town Rate

Jonathan Beret	"5.3 New Tenor	0.5.0 old Tenor
John Foster	"5.3 Ditto	"5.0 Ditto
Nath ^l Millet	"6.3. Ditto	Timothy Day "4.0. Ditto
Aaron Bray	"16.9 New Tenor	1.0.0. Ditto
		1.14.0. Totall

At the Same Meeting

Ordered that the Town Treasurer allow & pay to
Constable Charles Byles the Sum of Eighteen pounds Eighteen
Shillings ^{old Tenor} for Collecting the Sum of Seventy pounds old Tenor
the Town Rate. & Seventy Seven pounds three Shillings
New Tenor. the Province Rate together with the Abatement
above mentioned In the Whole Twenty three pounds nineteen
Shillings old Tenor. old Tenor £ 23. 19. 0

Abated to Constable Samuel Stevens jun^r
in the Province Rate in the Town Rate

To Benj ^a Tarboor jun ^r	- 2.3 3 fold Tenor	0.5.0 old Tenor
John Dabson	-	"8.3
James Browne	-	"5.0
Abraham Batting	-	"5.0
Felix Doyle	-	"5.0
Elias Elwell	"2.11	"6.2
Josiah Elwell	-	"7.6
Daniel Elwell	"4.1	"6.5
John Elwell jun ^r	-	"5.0
James Gardner	-	"5.0
John Gyles	"2.3	"5.0
Jonathan Gardner	2.3	"5.0
Solomon Howard	2.3	"6.1
James Maddox	-	"5.0
Abraham Somey	"2.3	"5.0
Eben ^r Somey	2.3	"5.0
Rob ^t Steward	2.3	"5.0
Rachel Somey	3.11	"5.0
Eben ^r Stevens	-	"5.0
Daniel Sargent	2.3	"5.0
William Westway	2.9	"6.0
James Chrifle	-	"5.0
Robert Riddle	?	"5.0
W ^m Lurvey	-	"5.0
Gregory Savory	2.3	"5.0
James Luffon	2.3	"5.0
James Dyke jun ^r	2.3	"5.0
David Avenel	2.3	"5.0
Benjamin Joceline	2.3	5.0

In the Province

In the Town

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Moses Davis		5 ⁰	Thomas	
Jacob Row	2 ³	11 ⁷	Sawell	5 ⁰
Joseph Ingersoll	4 ³		Rufus Stacy	5 ⁰
Thomas Sawell	2 ³	James Demerit	5 ⁹	
Rufus Stacy	2 ³	Jan Riddle	5 ⁰	Penelope
Edmund Clarke	2 ³		5 ⁹	Hadlock
Joseph Day	2 ⁸		5 ⁰	Jacob/Millet
Benj ^a Hadlock	2 ³		5 ⁰	
Isaac Millet	2 ³		5 ⁰	
John Millet jun ^r	2 ³		5 ⁰	
Samuel Vanel	2 ³		5 ⁰	
James Dyke jun ^r	2 ³		5 ⁰	
Isaac Somes	2 ³		5 ⁰	
Jonathan Starnwood	4 ⁰		11 ²	

In the Whole 24⁰ 5⁹ 9 old Tenor

At the Meeting above Feb^y 24th 1745^{1/2} An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay or allow to Mr Samuel Stevens jun^r late Constable or his Order The Sum of Ninely three Pounds sixteen Shillings old Tenor twenty four pence for Skill ings & nine pence being the above Abetements thirty six pence & nine pence for gathering 720. £ 15^s. and thirty Pounds granted for serving in the Office of Constable by the Town & three pounds ten Shillings for service done in Warning Town Meetings &c)

At the Town Meeting

Abated to Constable John Day

In the Province

In the Town

Moses Davis	4 ²	4 fold	4 ⁰	old Tenor	
Joseph Ingersoll	8 ²	Money	8 ⁰		
John Williams	4 ²		4 ⁰		
Thomas Tucker	5 ²		5 ⁰		
Andrew Dwyer	4 ²		4 ⁰		
Ellis Cook	4 ²		4 ⁰		
William Edgar	4 ²		4 ⁰		
Vinson Howell	5 ⁸		5 ⁶		
Richard Grover	4 ²		4 ⁰		
Steven Somes	4 ²		4 ⁰		
William Stearns jun ^r	4 ²		4 ⁰		
William Fear	4 ²		4 ⁰		
James Somes	4 ²		4 ⁰		
William Mory	4 ⁰		4 ⁰		
John White	4 ²		4 ⁰		
Moses Somes	4 ²		4 ⁰		

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An Order was drawn up on the Town Treasurer or Successor in said Office to pay to John Day Constable in year the sum of one hundred and twenty eight pounds fourteen Shillings & two pence old Tenor Twenty five pounds sixteen Shillings and two pence where of is the foregoing abatement, thirty pounds of which granted by the Town for Serving Constable & Seventy two pounds & eighteen Shillings for gathering 1758 Primer.

At the above Meeting
Ordered that the Treasurer or Successor in said Office to pay to William Norwood or his Order the sum of Eighteen Pounds & eight Shillings in full of all Abatement & to be gathered all by itself, old Tenor — £ 18⁰ 8⁰

At a Meeting of the select Men on 24th Day of February 1755
Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to Joseph Gardner or his Order five Pounds old Tenor in full for his pay either to his Sister or Quaker for year to 27th of last January left off — £ 5⁰ 0⁰

At a Meeting of the Select Men March 7th 1755/6
Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to M^r Parker lawyer or his Constable in the year 1744 the sum of £

At a Meeting of the Select Men March 31st 1746
The Following Rates were abated to John Day late Constable
In the Town Rate In the Province

John Goddridge	4. 0 old Tenor	4. 2 New Tenor
William Ring	2. 10. 0.	
Edmund Grover	0. 4. 0	4. 2.
Widow Langford	4. 2	4. 2.
Joseph Lane kids.	0. 9. 4	4. 2
Calss Farr	4. 0	4. 2
John Tyler	4. 0	4. 2
Widow Lane	9. 4	1. 14. 4
	3. 19. 2	

In the Whole ten pounds sixteen Shillings & six pence old Tenor
For which an Order was drawn upon the Treasurer at the above Meeting

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At a Meeting of the Select Men May 5th 1746

Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to Richard Becket
or his Order twenty Six Shillings old Tenor for one Head
which he is abated in 1744.

Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to James Phipps
or his Order Eight pounds five Shillings in full for keeping
School till 19th of May Instant.

At a Meeting of the Select Men May 19. 1746
Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to Mr Robert
Becket twenty Six Shillings old Tenor for a second Head
that was abated him in his Rate in 1744.

At a Meeting of the Select Men October 23. 1746
The following Rates were abated to Constable Samuel
Griffin jun^r in the Province Rate in the Town Rate

Thomas Hoole	" 06 ¹⁰ left	in the Province Rate	" 6 ¹¹ old Tenor
Edward Jumper	" 9 ¹⁰		" 9 ¹⁰
Stephen Gott	" 6 ³		" 6 ³
	1 ⁰ 2 ¹¹ left	in the Province Rate	" 2 ¹¹ old Tenor
			" 4 ¹¹ 8
			£ 5 ¹¹ 14 ⁷ old Tenor

At the same Meeting allowed to Constable Samuel Griffin
jun^r the Sum of sixteen pounds ten Shillings for gathering
the Sum of 331 £ old Tenor for which Sum amounting to
twenty two pounds four Shillings and seven pence an Order
was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to be paid to S^r Griffin
- old Tenor £ 22⁴ 7

At the 2^d Meeting of the Select Men Octob^r 23. 1746

An Order was drawn upon the Treasurer to pay to Mr Nehemiah
Porter Schoolmaster the Sum of twenty five pounds old Tenor
for keeping School for on ^{next} from the third Day of May
left. - old Tenor £ 25⁰ 0

At the above Meeting Octob^r 23. 1746 Agreed with
the Widow Mary Langford to keep her Daughter Sarah who
is non compos for four pounds per Quarter for One Year
to begin on the first Day of November next.

At a Meeting of the Select Men Decemb^r. 10th. 1746
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay
to James Phipps or Order the Sum of five Pounds nineteen
Shillings old Tenor which with five pounds six Shillings old
Tenor which he has had of Rich^d Goff for which an Order
is drawn payable to him is in full for keeping Sarah Clarke
till the ~~11th~~ ^{11th} of the Eleventh Day of November last L 5. 19. 0

At the Same Meeting Dec^r. 10th. 1746
An Order was drawn upon the Treasurer to pay to Rich^d
and Goff or Order the Sum of five pounds six Shillings old
Tenor which he has had of James Phipps have on Account
of her keeping Sarah Clarke till November 10th last past
L 5. 6. 0

At the Same Meeting Dec^r. 10th. 1746.
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to
Joseph Gardier or his Order Eighteen pounds fifteen
Shillings old Tenor for keeping Esther Elwell his sister to the
Seventh Day of October last past. . . . L 18. 15. 0

At the Same Meeting Decemb^r. 10th. 1746
An Order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay to
Mr. Edmund Porter or his Order the Sum of twenty five
Pounds old Tenor in full for keeping the Town School from
the third Day of August to third Day of November last
past. . . . L 25. 0. 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men Dec^r. 22. 1746
An Order was drawn upon the Treasur^r To pay to Mr
John Robberty or his Order the Sum of twenty three Shilling
old Tenor in full for Digging, Hauling, Stowing, Graving and
perambulating the Line between the Towns of Ipswich, Gloucest^r

At a Meeting of the Select Men Feb^r. 9th. 1746/7
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to
Cap^t. James Davis or Order the Sum of seven Shillings and
Six pence being what he was overvoted in Samuel Griffin
last in 1745.

At a Meeting of the Select on the Same 9th of February
1746/7. An Order was drawn upon the Treasurer to
pay to Mr Benjamin Bradstreet the Sum of four

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fourty three pounds fifteen (shillings) old Tenor
in full for Mr. Porter the School masters & Board
at his House for Half a year from the 3^d day of
May 1746.

At the same Meeting of the Select Men July 9th 1746
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurers of
to pay to Constable Parker Sawyer the Sum of nine
Pounds old Tenor for Warning Town Meetings & warning
Jurys Men, warning Person out of Town and bringing
Joseph Egnard & Edw. Rolf French men before Authority
being suspected for Juris &c in 1744. and to pay the fifty
two Shillings old Tenor being John Cogswells Rate and
one Head overrated to Samuel Ingersoll in the Whole
Eleven pounds twelve Shillings old Tenor. £ 11. 12. 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men March 2 1746
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurers or Successor
to pay to Samuel Frerick or his Order Sum of eighteen Shillings
old Tenor for Benjamin Henrich, John Lufkin George
Coppin & Samuel Vane's Head Three pounds two Shillings
old Tenor for gathering 6s £ & four Pounds like Tax
for Warning Jurys Men warning Town Meetings & other Service
done for the Town.
At the same Meeting March 2 1746 Order that the Treasurers
allow Constable Samuel Henrich for abatement upon Ebenezer
Lufkins Rate in his Lifts old Tenor £ 8. 4. 0

At the same Meeting March 2^d 1746
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurers or
his Successor to pay to Joseph Gardner the Sum of six pounds
five Shillings old Tenor in full for keeping his Sister
either & well from 1st day of October to 7th day of
January 1746. old Tenor £ 6. 5. 0

At the same meeting March 2 1746
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurers or
his Successor to pay to Capt. William Haskell or his
Order the Sum of seven pounds old Tenor for
forteen Days Service of the town as sold men & a

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An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurers
to pay to Pay: Jany Davies or his order the Sum
of fore pound paid to Mary Longford for keeping
her Daughter now comes three pound paid Jany Whiggs
for keeping Sarah Clarke and ^{five} pound fifteen Shillings
for Helen & half Doys Salary of select men
a sum of paye eight Shillings
the yer past all in w: old tennor — 13-3-

the year past delin W. Old Tenner
an order was drawn upon the town for \$100.00
to pay to Doctor Danick Witham or the order
of Hughton parson and George James Eold Tenner
for Seventeen & half Days ~~of~~ ^{for} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~year~~ ^{year} ~~past~~ ^{past} ~~13-0-4~~

An order was drawn upon the town
treasure to pay to Mr. John Parsons of
his order the sum of eight pounds twelve
shillings old tanner five pence
whereof for time spent in the service of the
town and two pounds seven shillings for
going after a schoolmaster & chamber and three days
time about Bonifacio Menon the year past. - 8-12-0

An order was Drawn upon the Town
Treasure or Successor in Good offer
to pay to William Ellery the Sum
of thirty four Pounds ten Shillings and
six pence, old Tenner Seven pounds
thirteen Shillings for James for Sectors
4 half Days as a select man - 7-15-4
and twenty five pounds
seven Shillings and six pence for
the select men Expenses - 25-15-6
and twenty Shillings for John R. 1-0-0
the year past -

An Order is so drawn upon the Town Treasurers to pay
to Joseph Allen Esq^r or his Order the Sum of four Pounds
old Tenor for Swearing the Officers of the Town for 1745
1746. old Tenor. £ 4. 0. 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men March 11th 1716

An Order was drawn up on the Town Treasurer to pay to m^r Jonathan Pierpoint the Sum of thirty eight Pounds old Tenor in full for keeping School at the Cape Cove. Week, and for his Board during that Term.

m^r Daniel Witham & others please to pay unto m^r Joseph Rogers the Sum of nine Pounds old Tenor it being for keeping his Sister Esther Child from the 7 Day of January to the 7 Day of April 1747/4 and it shall be allowed at making up

At a Meeting of the Select Men April 27th 1717

the above Order was signed by the Select Men

At the above Meeting of the Select Men April 27th 1717
Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to William Howard or his Order the Sum of 13 Pounds old Tenor for keeping Ebenezer Stever, till the sixteenth of April Instant in full

At the above Meeting of the Select Men April 27th 1717
Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to William Howard or his Order the Sum of thirty four Pounds old Tenor for keeping Ebenezer Stever from the fifteenth Day of August to the twenty Eighth Day of December past

At a Meeting of the Select Men May 11th 1717

Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to James Phipps or his Order the Sum of thirteen Pounds old Tenor for keeping Sarah Clarke one half year till this Day.

old Tenors £13. 0. 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men Decemb^r 24th 1745
which should have been entered before. Debited to Constable Parker Sawyer for 4 Year 1744.

Benjamin Tarr one Head

in both Lists old Tenor

Ebenezer Pool Ditto

Widow Elizabeth Rowes ditto

Eben^r Bowman Ditto

Nathaniel Sawyer Ditto

Arthur Churchwood ditto

John Matchett Sloop

Rob^t Ellwell overrated

Daniel Mc Caffee ditto

William Hearl Head

Doliver Davis Ditto

turn over William Gardner

11. 6. 0
15. 0
5. 0
1. 6. 0
1. 6. 0
1. 6. 0

William Gardner whole Rate	1. 8. 6	Jacob McElloch	1. 6. 8
William Edgar. 1 Head	1. 6. 0	Joseph Gardner jun	1. 10. 0
Joshua Kendall whole 5/	0. 5. 0	James Gardner	1. 6. 0
James Maddox Do	1. 6. 0	Samuel Ellwell	1. 16. 0
Andrew Bray Do	1. 6. 0	Jonathan Gardner	1. 6. 0
James Grant Do	1. 6. 0		
Thomas Varrel whole Rate	1. 8. 6		
The Whole Abatements		£ 28. 3.	

At a Meeting of the Select Men May 25th 1747
 Allowed and abated to Constable James Pearson the following
 Rates in the Province in his own Life

William Doliver	6. 3	6. 3
Francis Andrews	6. 11	6. 11
Samuel Ellwell	7. 6	7. 6
Thomas Vinson	6. 3	6. 3
William Cas	8. 9	8. 9
In the last Division	1. 15. 8	1. 15. 8 addition.

Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to Mr James Pearson
 last years Constable the Above Abatements amounting to
 the Sum of Eight Pounds Eighteen Shillings & four pence
 old Tenor and twenty Shillings for service done for
 the Town as Constable in warning Meetings and forty five
 Pounds ten Shillings & four Pence for gathering nine
 hundred & ten pounds & one penny In the whole
 fifty five pounds Eight Shillings & five pence ^{old Tenor} £ 55. 8. 5
 at Above said Meeting gave Mr James Pearson an
 Order on of Town Treasurer to Discorn twenty
 two Shillings New Tenor & twenty two Shillings
 Old ^{Tenor} which is Abated on Capⁿ Eps Sargents Rates
 the whole is Old Tenor 5. 10.

At the Same Meeting of the Select Men May 25th 1747
 There were abated to Constable John Sargent constable for
 1738. the following Rates viz.

Elipha Corney one head 3.3
 William Carlele 3.3
 John Gyles 3.3
 Samuel Ingersoll jun^r 3.3
 Ruth Lee 3.3
 Stephen Robinson 3.3
 Samuel Tarr 3.3
 John Tarboor 3.3
 John Witham - 3.3
 Ebenezer Tofolyno - 3.3
 John Alexander - 3.3
 Samuel Gardner 3.3

Robert Miller 3.3
 James Gmiffe 3.3
 Andrew Smith 3.3
 Robert Nevins 3.3
 James Killen - 3.3
 Deborah York 3.3
 Moses Davis - 3.3
 Bartholemew Philips 3.3
 John Langplan 3.3
 - Mc Cellis - 3.3
 John McNeale - 3.3
 £ 3. 14. 9

In Bills of the Middle Tenor or three fold money.

At the same Meeting an Order was drawn upon the Treasurer
 to pay the above abatements being three pounds, fourteen
 Shillings & nine pence of the middle Tenor ~~being~~ equal
 to ten pounds four Shillings & three pence and four pounds
 for gathering Service done for the Town & Twenty one
 Pounds three Shillings for gathering Rates to John Sargent
 Constable in 1738. old Tenor - 35. 7. 3

At the abovesaid Meeting May 25. 1747

There was abated to Constable Antony Bennet the following

Rates in his Li ^{ty} viz ^t	in the Province	In the Town
Aaron Davis	6. 3	6. 3
Moses Bennet -	8. 3	8. 3
Joseph Day -	6. 3	6. 3
John Eulin -	6. 3	6. 3
John Ring	6. 3	6. 3
Rufus Stacy	7. 3	7. 3
Thomas Mepewey	6. 3	6. 3
Joseph Ingersoll	7. 3	7. 3
Thomas Foster	8. 7 11	8. 7
all in the last Division	3. 2. 7	3. 2. 7
		12. 10. 4
		15. 12. 11

Total -

At a Meeting above^d May 25. 1747

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurers to pay to Constable Antony Bennet the Sum of ~~thirty~~ thirty five Shillings old Tenor for Service in Warning Town meetings & fifteen pounds twelve Shillings & Eleven pence the foregoing abatements & Eighteen pounds thirteen Shillings & three pence for gathering Rates in the Whole thirty six pounds one Shilling & two pence old Tenor
£ 36. 1. 2

at y^e same meeting above said May 25/1747

There was abated to Constable Parker Sayer the following Rates in his List

in province		in y ^e Town List	
2 years Rates	William Brown ~ 5.3		
	William Brown ~ 6.3	0. 5. 6	0
	William Elwell ~ 7.9	0. 7. 3	0
	Henry Eggon ~ 14.3	0. 11. 3	0
	Joseph Gidings ~ 9.2	0. 9. 2	0
	Solomon Howard ~ 6.3	0. 6. 3	0
	Benjamin Hadley ~ 6.3	0. 6. 3	0
	Jacob Mucley ~ 6.3	0. 6. 3	0
	Jonathan Sayer ~ 6.3	0. 6. 3	0
	Thomas Vinson ~ 6.3	0. 6. 3	0
	John Worsen ~ 6.3	0. 6. 3	0
	William Boid ~ 6.3	0. 6. 3	0
	John Malley ~ 6.3	0. 6. 3	0
	Jacob Parsons ~ 6.3	0. 6. 3	0
	Robert Burnham ~ 6.3	0. 6. 3	0
	Joseph Worsen ~ 6.3	0. 6. 3	0
	John Mackel ~ 4.6	0. 4. 6	0
	New Tenor 5. 12. 11		

Allowed Constable Parker Sayer for Joseph Littell Rate twenty shillings Old Tenor & one head in Old Tenor one pound Eleven Shillings and three pence in Whole two pounds

Eleven shillings and three pence ~ 2. 11. 3

allowed m^r Sayer for Jacob Mackel being over Rated fifteen shillings Old Tenor ~ 15.

Allowed Constable Sayer for John Hadley being over Rated seven shillings Old Tenor ~ 7. 0

At a meeting May 28/1747

An order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to
 Crystall James Deedly the sum of three Pounds ten
 Shillings & pence Granted by the Town for Standing
 Constable

At a meeting May 25/1747

There was Abatted to Constable Solomon Daves
 of following Rates in his List

in province	in Town List
Abraham Millet 7 ⁶	2 ⁶
Joseph Millet -- 4 ⁸	1 ⁶
Jacob Lurvey -- 4 ²	1 ⁴
Ebenezer Lurvey 4 ⁸	1 ⁶
Steven Benet -- 8 ¹	2 ⁸
James Daves -- 5 ²	1 ⁸
Joseph Daves in 4 ²	1 ⁴
Sam. Morgage -- 4 ²	1 ⁴
Joseph Ingersol in 8 ⁰	2 ⁸
James Demerete in 5 ¹⁰	1 ¹¹
Ebenezer Merchant 4 ²	1 ⁴
Joseph Ingersol in 5 ²	1 ⁸
Rufus Hacey in 4 ²	1 ⁴
Jabez Huxler in 5 ⁴	1 ⁹
<u>£ 9-15-3</u>	<u>12-4-6</u>

For all which Abatements being four Pounds nineteen
 Shillings & nine pence & three pounds twelve Shillings
 for Gathering Rates one pound twelve Shillings granted by
 the Town for Standing Constable being in pⁿ portion of
 thirty pounds old Tenor and One Pound thirteen Shillings
 for warning meetings & warning papers out of Town
 In the whole Eleven pounds fifteen Shillings & nine pence
 in Bill of 4 same Tenor as the List which the
 last day an Order was drawn on the Treasurer. 11. 15. 9

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 their was allowed to Constable James Edgely the
 the following Rates in his List
 In the Prudence

		Down	Rate
Andree Bray	4-2	0-1-4	
Elias Cook	4-2	0-1-4	
Zetulon Higgin	4-2	0-1-4	
William Steuergam	5-0	0-1-4	
Jacob mealey	4-2	0-1-4	
William fear	0-4-2	0-1-4	
widow Eligal Bluell	0-7-0	0-2-8	
Joseph Gardner	0-4-10	0-1-4	
widow Rachel Jones	4-2	0-1-4	
James Grant	0-4-4	0-1-4	
William Gardner	4-8	0-1-6	
Jonathan Gardner	4-2	0-1-4	
Thomas Warrel	4-8	0-1-6	
Daniel - makhefe	4-2	0-1-4	
John machet slope	6-0	1-0-8	
	3-9-10		

at y^e same meeting Abated To Constable
 James Edgely y^e Above Rates which is Four
 pound Ten Shillings and six pence and Allowed
 him Nine pounds for Gathering Rates and
 five shilling for Warning Town Meetings
 and gave him an order on y^e Treasurer for
 y^e same which is thirteen pounds Fifteen Shillings
 Six pence in y^e Whole New Tenor £13-15-6
 at y^e same meeting allowed Mr Joseph Coward Town
 Shillings in his Rates New Tenor 2-0
 Allowed Capt William Ellys Rates 5-6
 Allowed Widow Lidea Parsons Rates of one head 5-6
 Allowed Mr John Hadley for one head 5-6
 and Gave Constable James New Tenor £1-0-6
 Edgely an Order on y^e Treasurer for y^e same

At meeting of y^e Select men May 28/1747²³²
 there was voted To Constable William Ring
 y^e Following Rates in his List

In y^e Town Rate

Caleb Elwell	4 ^s 6 ^d
Mary Langford	6 ^s 6 ^d
David Hodgkins	4 ^s 6 ^d
Bartholmew Phillips	4 ^s 6 ^d
Robert Camel	4 ^s 6 ^d
William Rigs	4 ^s 6 ^d
Robert Miller	4 ^s 6 ^d
Gavin Riddel	4 ^s 6 ^d
William Goot	4 ^s 6 ^d
John Uland	4 ^s 6 ^d
Robert Perks	4 ^s 6 ^d
James Demersset	4 ^s 6 ^d
Stephen Goot	2 ^s 16 ^d 0
	4 ^s 6 ^d
James Pison	3 ^s 9 ^d 6
Thomas Maseroy	4 ^s 6 ^d
Joseph Wife	3 ^s 9 ^d 6
	3 14 ^s 0

At meeting of y^e select men May 28/1747
 there was allowed to Constable William Ring the
~~Rate~~ Rates three pounds four shillings
 and allowed him for gathering four pounds eight
 shillings and for fees due for the town six pounds
 paid to Cap James Davis by order five pounds eight
 shillings three pence all old Tenor

At a Meeting of the Select Men June 22 1747
 it was voted to Constable Thomas Riggs in his List for 1737 & 1739
 & 1740. The following Rates viz
 Mary Langford in in too Rates 1^s 7^d 9 old Tenor
 Thomas Sewall in Poor Rates 18^s 0
 in the Town 2^s 0
 Mosey Davis in two Rates 11^s 9
 Mosey Bonnet Province Rate 9^s 9
 Gan Riddle in L^d 9^s 9
 3 19 0 old Tenor

for which Sum of three pounds nineteen Shillings old
 tenor and for the Sum of six pounds Eleven Shilling & 4 pence
 for service in gathering Rates of the Province in the Year
 1740 which should have been gathered in 1739 but did not
 come till the Year 1740 and also for Abatement in said
 Rates. old Tenor £ 6. 10. 4

At a Meeting of y^e Select Men June 22/1747
 Abated To Constable Parker Sayer in his List
 the following Rates in his List

	in Province	in Town List
William Cornew	6.9	6.9
Urban Maskel	6.3	6.3
Edward Bray	6.3	6.3
Coenr Welmoover		
Rates one head	6.3	6.3

New Tenor 1. 5. 6 Old Tenor 5. 6

at y^e Same Meeting Allowed Constable Sayer
 one hundred and thirteen pounds Teen Shillings
 for gathering two thousand two hundred
 and Seventy pounds Old Tenor £ 113-10-
 at y^e same Meeting of y^e select Men Allowed
 Constable Sayer Eight pounds Old Tenor
 for Service Done y^e Town £ 8-0-0

at y^e same meeting Gave Constable Anthony
 Benet an order on y^e Treasurer for two
 pounds Teen Shillings which was for Sayer
 Hunters Rates Abated £ 2. 10-

At a Meeting of the select Men June 29th 1747.

The following Rates were abated to Constable Samuel

Day viz.

	In the Town Rate	In the Province Rate
Joseph Ingersoll jun ^r	6. 0. 0. old Tenor	6. 3. 0. left Emission
Rufus Stacy	5. 0. 0.	5. 3. 0.
William Jeffords	6. 1. 0.	6. 4. 0.
Sayer Hunter	6. 3. 0.	7. 3. 0.
Moses Bennet.	7. 0. 0.	7. 11. 7 left Emission
Town	1. 10. 4 old Tenor	
Province	6. 6. 4 Old Tenor	
Total	7. 16. 8	

At the Same Meeting June 29. 1747

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay
or Allow to Mr Samuel Day late Constable in 1744 the
Sum of fifteen pounds old Tenor for Gathering 200 L
old Tenor and twenty Shillings for Service done for the
Town and for the above Abatement in the whole twenty
three pounds sixteen Shillings & eight pence old Tenor £ 23..16.8

At the Same Time Abated to Constable Day afore
according an Order heretofore of the Select Men Dated Dec^r 16 1745

The following Rate viz

James Stanwood	1.. 6.. 0.	John Eulin	1.. 6.. 0
Mark Davis Jun ^r	1.. 6.. 0	Joseph Ingham	1.. 0.. 5
Thomas Vinson	1.. 6.. 0		
Samuel Goodwin	1.. 6.. 0		
Ebenezer Merchant	1.. 6.. 0		
James Demant	1.. 14.. 4		

Allowed him S^d Day thirty one Shillings & eight pence
for his Lift being overcast In the whole including 1.. 11.. 8
all Abatement & Allowance to him in one Order which
which is of this Date amounts to thirty five pounds
thirteen Shillings & one penny old Tenor Total 35..13..1

At of Same meeting June 29/1747

abated To Constable John Benet of following

Rate viz

In of Town Rate

In of Province Rate

Jabez Hunter	7.. 9
Daniel Emmons	6.. 3
Thomas McFue	6.. 3
William Melton	6.. 3
head	6.. 3

6.. 3

Last Emission 1.. 6.. 6

Old Tenor 1.. 6.. 6
£ 5.. 6.. 0
£ 6.. 12.. 6

at of same meeting allowed Constable John Benet
twenty three pounds Four Shillings for Gathering
Four Hundred and sixty three pounds Eighteen
Shillings and seven pence Old Tenor
allowed said Benet eight pounds Ten Shillings Old Tenor
for Warning Town Meetings & Town Officers and
and Warnings persons Out of Town

Gloster July 13 1747

At a meeting of y^e Select men Gave Joseph
Gardner an Order on y^e Treasurer for Nine
pounds Old Tenor which was for keeping
Hille Elwell ~~from~~ from y^e Seventh Day of
Last April to y^e Seventh Day of this Instant
July £ 9 - 0 -

At y^e same meeting Above said Adjusted
Accounts with y^e ~~Town Treasurer~~ Select
men of Gloster and there was in my
hands Twenty Four pounds Fourteen
Shillings and Four pence Old Tenor
And there is Outstanding in 24 - 14 - 4
Several Constables hands as
Followeth

in Constable Constable John Sargent hands	11 - 1 - 6
in Solomon Daves Hands	20 - 10 - 4
in James Edgely Hands	28 - 13 - 10
in Parker Sayers hands	131 - 1 -
in Ebenezer Daves hands	31 - 5 - 6
in James Pearsons hands	97 - 8 - 3
in Anthoney Benets hands	5 - 9 - 4
in John Benets hands	38 - 17 - 2
in John Fellows hands	88 - 17 - 11
in Luke Morgans hands	124 - 10 - 10
in Wm King hands	17 - 3 - 4

the Treasurer has had no Allowance
for his Service as Town Treasurer for 5^y Years
past none Excepted Daniel Witham

At a Meeting of the Select Men October 19th 1747
An Order was drawn upon Town Treasurer for Successor in
said Office to pay to Mary Langford Widow the Sum of
Twelve Pounds old Tenor being in full for keeping Sarah
her Daughter who is Non Compos for one Year which
is to end on the first Day of November next Old Tenor. £ 12 - 0 - 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men October 19th 1747.

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Mr Thomas Jaques or his Order the Sum of one hundred and ten Pounds old Tenor for keeping the Town School Eight Months and Seven Days being the Western Precinct Proportion of the School for three years according to the Rates in 1746. £ 110. 0. 0

At y^e same meeting Above said Abated to Constable Luke Morgan in his List of following Rates

Jonathan Daws	1 - 18 - 4	at y ^e same time Gave
Edward Brady	1 - 11 - 3	Constable Morgan an
Edward Waffel	1 - 11 - 3	Order on y ^e Treasurer
Morris Jones	1 - 12 - 6	for nine pounds of them
Widow Trask	1 - 11 - 3	shillings of Ten pence
John Miller	1 - 11 - 3	also for Twenty three
Old Tenor	9 - 15 - 10	pounds Eighteen shillings
		and one for Gla
		Whole Thirty three pound
		thirteen shillings and
		Seven pence Old Tenor

At a meeting of y^e Select men Novem^r 2^d 1747
an Order was drawn upon y^e Town Treasurer
to pay to James Phipps y^e Sum of thirteen pounds
Old Tenor which is in full for keeping
Sarah Clark six month of Eleventh Day of
this Instant Novem^r Old Tenor £ 13. 0. 0

At y^e same meeting Gave Joseph Gardner an Order
on y^e Treasurer for nine pounds Old Tenor
which was for keeping Hittie Elwell from y^e
Seventh Day of July last til y^e Twelfth Day
of October Old Tenor £ 9. 0. 0

At y^e same meeting Gave Capⁿ Samuel
Daves an Order on y^e Treasurer for Twenty
Five pounds Old Tenor for keeping his
Father Daves from y^e Eight Day of June to y^e
Eight Day of December last Old Tenor £ 25. 0. 0

237 At meeting of y^e Select men Gloucester January 12/1747
an Order was Drawn on y^e Town Treasurer To
pay to Joseph Gardner Nine pounds Old Tenor
which was for keeping Hille Elwell from y^e
Seventh Day of October Last Till y^e Seventh Day
of this Instant January — Old Tenor £ 9 - 0 - 0

At y^e Same meeting Above said Gave Mr. Joseph
Hibert an Order on y^e Town Treasurer for Fifty
pounds in part for keeping Ebenezer Stevens
one year — Old Tenor £ 50 - 0 - 0

At y^e Same meeting Abated to ^{Corr} Jonathan Fellows
y^e Following Rates

Stephen Gooch — 1 - 11 - 3

John Savell — 1 - 11 - 3

Abated in Towns

Harboring Rate — 18

and Gave him an Order on y^e Treasurer for Same
and allow Gave him an Ord on y^e Treasurer for
Seventeen pounds Eighteen Shillings Old Tenor
in y^e Whole twenty one pounds Eighteen Shillings
and six pence Old Tenor — £ 21 - 18 - 6

At meeting of y^e Select men Gloucester February 15/1747
an Order was Drawn on y^e Town Treasurer To
pay to Mr. Daniel Haskell Eight pounds Old Tenor
which is for Two Cord of wood Delivered to y^e Widow
Abagal Day — £ 8 - 0 - 0

At y^e Same meeting an Order was Drawn on y^e
Town Treasurer To pay To Capt^r James Daves
Fourteen pounds Fourteen Shillings Old Tenor for
Service Don y^e Town as Select man y^e Year Past
and five pounds payed Mary Langford in part
for keeping her Daughter Sarah & Four pounds
Eleven Shillings payed James Phelps in part for
keeping Sarah Clark in y^e Whole Twenty four
pounds Five Shillings Old Tenor — £ 24 - 5 - 0

At y^e Same meeting an Order was Drawn
on y^e Town Treasurer or Successor in said Office
To pay to Mr. William Haskell or his Order y^e Sum
of thirteen pounds Six Shillings Old Tenor for Service
Don y^e Town y^e Year past — £ 13 - 6 - 0

At a meeting of y^e Select Men Gloucester February 15/1747²⁹⁸
an Order ~~was~~ was Drawn on y^e Town Treasurer
or Successor in said office To pay to Mr. John
parsons or Order y^e sum of thirteen pounds five
shillings Old Tenor for Service done for y^e Town
as Select Man and four pounds Ten Shillings
Old Tenor for keeping an Debt Boat to his house
from Winham called Nathan Rolling in y^e
Whole Seventeen pounds Fifteen Shillings Old Ten.
£17-15-

At y^e same Meeting an Order was Drawn on
y^e Town Treasurer or Successor in said Office
To pay To William Allen or Order y^e sum of
Twelve pounds Nineteen Shillings Old Tenor
For Service done y^e Town as Select Man
£12-19-

At a Meeting of the Select Men March 1. 1747.
An Order was Drawn upon the Town Treasurer To pay to
Daniel Witham or his Order the Sum of Eighteen pounds
ten Shillings old Tenor fourteen Pounds fourteen Shillings
for Service as Select Men and the Remainder for curing
Ezther Elwell who is maintained by the Town of her Wounds.
Old Tenor £18.10.0

At a Meeting of the Select Men March 1. 1747.
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to Cap^t
William Ellery or his Order the Sum of forty nine Pounds
nine Shillings & three pence ^{Old Tenor} being the Select Mens Expenses
at his House the Year past. Old Tenor £49.9.3

At the Same Meeting Ordered that the Treasurer pay to
Mr Thomas Jaques three pounds three Shillings & five
Pence old Tenor omitted in his Order for keeping School 13.3.5
last winter.

At a Meeting of the Select Men April 7th 1748
Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to Joseph Gardners
or his Order the Sum of Ten pounds old Tenor for keep-
ing Ezther Elwell for one Quarter Ending the 7th of
this Instant April.

239 At a meeting of the select men April 18th 1748
an order was drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay
Joseph Hibbard for fifty pounds old Tenor it being
for keeping Ebenezer Stevens Half a year being
Expia'd the fifth Day of this Instance April 1748

At the same meeting their was an order Drawn
on the Treasurer for thirty pounds old Tenor for
keeping of Mr John Dames to this Day —

At meeting of y^e Select men May 16th 1748
an Order was Drawn on y^e Town Treasurer
To pay Mr Jonathan Pare point or Order
y^e Sum of Sixty pounds Old Tenor In
part for keeping Scob six months &
half £ 60-0-0

At a Meeting of the Select Men on y^e 25th 1748
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay to
Joseph Gardner or his Order the Sum of ten pounds old
Tenor in full for keeping Esther Elwell till y^e seventh Day
of July instant. £ 10-0-0

At a meeting of y^e Select men July 25th 1748
an Order was Drawn on y^e Town Treas-
urer To pay To John Haskell or Order
y^e sum of One pound Eleven shillings
and three pence Old Tenor he being over
Rated that sum for one head in year 1746

At y^e same meeting Above said July 25th 1748
Ordered to Constable Parker Sayer in his
List of Following Rates for y^e Year 1747

Thomas Harris one head	2-1-8
William Fear one head	2-1-8
Daved Pool one head	2-1-8
Jiau Tarbox one head	2-1-8
Thomas Vinson One head	2-1-8
Thomas Daniel Mackeys one head	2-1-8
at y ^e same meeting allowed	£ 12-10-0
Constable Parker Sayer for Gathering of Rates and Service	75-18-0
Done of Town in y ^e year 1747	88-8-0

At a meeting of y^e Select men July 25/1748²⁴⁰
 an Order was Drawn on y^e Town Treasurer
 To pay Constable Parker Sayer for sundry
 Abatements y^e Sum of Twelve pounds Ten
 Shillings Old Tenor and allow ~~for~~
 Seventy ^{five} and Eighteen Shilling for Gethering
 Rates of Service Don y^e Town in y^e Year
 1747 in y^e Whole Eighty Eight pounds
 Eight Shillings Old Tenor £ 88 - 8

At a meeting of y^e Select men August 1/1748
 abated to Constable Nathaniel Haskel in
 his List y^e Following Rates Town Old Tenor
 in y^e Province
 John Hunchfeld shew 8-4 - 7-4
 Benjamin Morgan - 8-4 -
 Widow Trask - 8-4 - 7-4
 New Tenor £ 1.5.0 - Old Tenor £ 5-14-8

at y^e same meeting Allowed Constable
 Nathaniel Haskel For Gethering Rates 30-13-4
 and service Don y^e Town
 and also one pound for Running y^e Line
 Betwene this Town & Manchester - 1-0-0
 one pound for Calling Town meetings - 1-
 and Four Shillings for sumoring
 y^e Representative - 4-
 Old Tenor £ 38-12-0

At y^e same meeting of y^e select men ~~an~~
 an Order was Drawn on y^e Town Treasurer
 To pay to Constable Nathaniel Haskel or
 order y^e above sum thirty Eight pounds
 Twelve Shillings Old Tenor

At a meeting of y^e Select men Septem^r 5/1748
 an Order was Drawn on y^e Town Treasurer
 to pay To James Phips or Order y^e Sum
 of Nineteen pounds Ten shillings Old Tenor
 which is in full For keeping Sarah Clark
 from y^e Eleventh Day of Novem^r Last To y^e Eleventh
 Day of August £ 19-10-

At y^e same meeting Gave Sarah Dement
 an order on y^e Town Treasurer for thirty
 Shillings Old Tenor which is in full for keeping
 Sarah Clark three weeks & to Eleventh Instant
 1-10-0

241 At Meeting of y.^e Select Men Septem^r 5/1748
 There was Abated to Constable Solomon
 Daves y.^e Following Rates in his List
 in y.^e Town & Province
 in New Tenor
 Mark Daves head 5-6
 Rufus Stacey — 5-6
 Morris Millet — 6-5
 £ 0. 11. 5. New Tenor

At a Meeting of the Select Men Octo^r 3^d 1748
 An Order was drawn upon the present Town Treasurer
 or his Successor to pay to Joseph Gardner or his Order
 the Sum of ten pounds Old Tenor in full for keeping
 Esther Edwell to the Seventh of this Instant October
 £ 10. 0. 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men Oct^r 18th 1748
 An Order was drawn upon the present Town Treasurer or
 his Successor to pay to Mary Langford or her Order
 the Sum of twenty four Pounds Old Tenor in full for
 keeping her Daughters Sarah till the last Day of this Instant
 October
 £ 24. 0. 0

At a Meeting of the Select Men Dec^r 7th 1748
 An Order was drawn upon the Treasurer to pay
 to Constable Parker Sawyer the Sum of Seven
 Pounds for an Order from Capt^r the Select Men
 which he & Sawyer has paid and taken up as
 Sages payable to Capt^r Nathaniel Illery or his Successor
 in his Hands and five Pounds for serving as Collector
 of the Rates for the West Precinct in 1745
 for the whole twelve pounds Old Tenor
 £ 12. 0. 0

At a Meeting of y.^e Selectmen Decem^r 7/1748
 There was Abated to Constable Parker Sawyer
 the following Rates from Sums
 Jon wolcott 1-6-0
 Sam Sings — 1-11-3
 Jon Millet 1-11-3
 Joseph Larky — 1-6-0

At Meeting of y^e Select Men Decem^r 13/1748 242
 Gave Constable Lusk Morgan an order on
 y^e Town Treasurer For Three pounds
 Two Shillings and six pence Old Tenor which
 is for abate ments on William Foster's head 1-11-3
 and Umphry Bay's head 1-11-3

at y^e same Meeting an Order was Drawn on
 y^e Town Treasurer To pay To Capt Samuel Daves or
 order y^e sum of Fifty pound Old Tenor which is for
 keeping his Father Daves from y^e Eleventh Day
 of April To Eleventh Day of October Last
 £50-0-0

At y^e same Meeting an Order was Drawn on
 y^e Town Treasurer or his Successor to pay To
 William Howard or Order y^e sum of Twenty Five
 pounds Old Tenor in parts For keeping Nathan
 Rollens £25-0-0

At a meeting of the select men february 27/1748/9
 there was Allowed To Constable John Hale the following
 Rates To Adaniam Griffen ————— £-2-3
 do To Jonathan Stanwood ————— 2-5-6
 And for gathering y^e Rates for the year 1747 22-2-6
 An order from Mrs Lencford ————— 10-0-0
 all so our Cost in his Rates ————— 15-13-0
 At the same time there was an order drawn
 on the town treasure or Successor in Office
 for the above sum of twenty five pounds
 three shillings Old Tenor

At the same Meeting feby. 27th 1748/9

Ordered that the present Town Treasurer or Successor
 pay to Sarah Demerit or her Order the Sum of thirteen
 pounds Old Tenor In two Orders half of y^e Sum in Each Order
 in full for keeping Sarah Clarke untill the Eleventh Day
 of next March £13-0-0

At the same meeting an order was Drawn on the
 present Town Treasurer or Successor to pay To Capt
 James Daves or order the sum of twenty pounds seven shillings
 Old Tenor for Eighteen Days & doing town Business with the select
 men and forty shilling for a journey To Ipswich 20-10-0
 about the affair of Nathan Rollens

243 At the same meeting there was an order drawn
on y^e present Treasurers to pay to Jacob William Haskel
or order the sum of twenty five pounds fourteen shillings
old tenor sixteen pounds ten shillings what of is for serving
the town as select man four shillings for half a year
paper five pounds ten shillings self and william Haskel three
John Roberts per Kameel the Line between Ipswich and
Glocester manchester four pounds ten shillings for Cord m^{an}
for widd Brity Stone Glocester felury 27/1748/9

At the same meeting an order drawn on the present Treasurers
or such for in Office to pay to John Parsons the
sum of twenty three pounds fourteen shillings old
tenor sixteen pounds ten shillings being for serving
the town as select man four pounds ten shillings
for fetching Nathan Rolins from Newham
to a Grove of Shoals for Rolins

At the same Meeting Feb. 27. 1748

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurers to pay to Daniel
Witham or his Order thirty four pounds One Shilling
old tenor sixteen pounds for Time expended with the Select Men on the
Towns Business as Select Men Eleven pounds Six shillings
for Time and Expenses in the Town Case with Wenhams
& for keeping Nathan Rawlins for one week after the judgment
by Benj^c. Henrick, four pounds sixteen shillings for
Entering Caution against sundry persons warned out of Town
at a Sepoy in July last & two pounds for perambulating
the Line between Ipswich & Glocester & one Day spent in
laying out a Way from Cripple Cove to Peblestone Beachy.
£ 34. 1. 0

An Order was drawn upon the Treasurers to pay to
Capt^m William Elleg or his Order the sum of six pounds
Eighteen shillings ^{old tenor} on part for the Select Men's Expenses
the year past. £ 6. 18. 0

At a meeting of select men March 7. 1748/9
an order was drawn on the town Treasurers to pay
to Joseph Gardener the sum of ten pounds old tenor
for keeping Estab^d Elwell from the seventh of October
to the seventh of January. £ 10-0-0

At a meeting aforesd then an order was drawn on the town
treasury to pay Capt William Elbery the sum of fifteen pound
twelve shillings & pence old tenor in full for the selectmens
Expense 1748 £16-12-2

At a meeting aforesd an order was drawn on the Treasury
to pay to Capt William Elbery & his order the sum of thirty
three pounds nineteen shillings and three pence old tenor
together with the order he had before is in full for the
selectmens Expense for the year past £33-19-3

At a meeting of the select men march the tenth 1748/9
then an order was drawn on the treasury to pay Mr Jonathan
Gardner of his order the sum of one hundred and sixty pound
ten shillings old tenor in full for keeping the town good
felly nine weeks with what he has had before 220-10-0

At 4th same meeting of 4th select men march 10/1748/9
an order was drawn on 4th Town Treasurer or
Successor in said office to pay To William Allen or order
Thirteen pound Ten Shillings For service Done 4th
Town as Select Man in 4th Year 1748 and twelve
Shillings for one Pair of Indentures and Eight
Shillings for one Pair of White paper which
is in 4th Whole Fourteen pound Ten shillings
Old Tenor

£14-10-0

At meeting of 4th Select Men March 20/1748/9
there was abated to Constable Samuel Allen in
his List 4th following Rates

Samuel Allen Sum Rate abated in Town
and pence

2-0-8

Isaac Randol Rate abated Town & pence

2-0-8

James Purnoy's Rate abated Town & pence

2-0-8

At 4th same meeting of 4th Select men an order was drawn
on 4th Town Treasurer or Successor in said office to pay
or Discom^t With Constable Samuel Allen or order
of above abatements six pound, Two Shillings Old Tenor
and also twenty three pound Eighteen Shillings
and six pence Old Tenor for gathering Four hundred & 8
Twenty Eight pound Fourteen Shillings and five

245 Pence Old Tenor Town and Province Rate
in y^e Whole thirty pounds and six pence Old
Tenor in full £ 30-0-

At meeting of y^e Select men march 4th 1749
an Order was Drawn on y^e Town Treasurer
or Successor To pay To Daniel Witham Esq^r or
order y^e sum of Forty Five pounds Old Tenor
Voted him For fifters years Service as Town
Clerk 45-0-

At y^e same meeting an order was Drawn on y^e
Town Treasurer or Successor in said Office
To pay To Daniel Witham Esq^r y^e sum of
thirty Two pounds Old Tenor Voted him
For service as Town Treasurer Also gave
him an other order for Forty Nine pounds
Four Shillings & seven pence Old Tenor
being y^e Ballance Due to him as Late Town
Treasurer £ 49-4-7

At a meeting of the select men may the 1st 1749
then an order was Drawn on the Town Treasurer &
successor in said Office to pay Joseph Gaddes & his wife
the sum of ten pounds Old Tenor for keeping & feeding
Eldred from the seventh of January to the seventh
of April last past £ 10-0-0

At a meeting of y^e select men may 5th 1749
an order was Drawn on William Allen Town Treas-
urer or successor in said Office to pay To Mary Langs-
ford or order y^e y^e sum of sixteen pounds Old Tenor
which is in full for keeping her Daughter Sarah from
y^e Last of October past to y^e Last of April next

At a meeting of y^e Select men Sep^r 15th 1749
an Order was Drawn on William Allen Town
Treasurer or Successor in said Office To pay To
m^r Sam^l White or order y^e sum of Seventy five
pounds Old Tenor for keeping
School one Quarter of a year which was
in full for said Quarter of year £ 75-0-

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At 4th Same meeting of 4th Select Men Sept 15/1749
 There was two orders Drawn on William
 Allen Town Treasurer or Successor in said
 Office To pay to M^r Sam^l White each
 order Twenty Five pounds Old Tenor which
 is in full for keeping of school from 4th Eleven
 th Day of July Last Till 4th Eleventh Day
 of this instant September in 4th whole
 £ 50 - 0 - 0

At 4th Same meeting of 4th Select men Sept^r 15/1749
 abated To Constable Parker Sayer in his List
 in 4th Year 1748 Thomas Brimbelcom Rate to 4th
 Town and province in Old Tenor 4 - 11 - -
 Thomas Vinson abated 1 head in 4th
 year 1748 4 - 11 - -
 Thomas Harris Rate abated in
 4th Year 1748 4 - 11 - -
 Tho^s Harris Rate abatted in Year
 1747 2 - 0 - 8
 John Wollers Rate abatted for 4th year
 1748 4 - 11 - -
 William Fears Rate abated for 4th
 Year 1748 4 - 11 - -
 Jonathan Day's Rate rated for 4th
 year 1745 1 - 17 - 11
 Morris Jones Rate abated for 4th
 year 1745 1 - 12 - 6
 Elisha Browns Rate abated one head
 for 4th Year 1747 2 - 0 - 8
 abated in Capⁿ Sabeys Bakers Rate
 being Over Rated for Vessels in 4th
 year 1748 Old Tenor 30 - 6 - 9
 also allowed Constable Sayer 3 - 10 - -
 3 3 - 16 - 9
 Forty two pound Five Shillings
 Old Tenor For Gettinging 4th town
 Rate and 4th over plus of 4th province
 which Rate was Eight hundred
 and Forty Seven pounds 13/10 Old
 Tenor which Rate was made in
 year 1748 12 - 5 - -
 also allowed Constable Sayer For
 Service Don 4th Town in year 1748
 Ten pounds Old Tenor 10 - 0 - 0
 at 4th Same meeting an order was Drawn
 on 4th Town Treasurer to pay Constable
 Sayer 4th above Eighty six pound one Shilling & nine pence
 Old Tenor 86 - 1 - 9

At a meeting of select men December the 25/1749
 There was an Order Drawn on Mr William Allen Town Treasurer
 or successor in said Office to pay to Mr Samuel White or order
 The sum of twenty five pounds each Old Tenor it being in
 for his keeping School from the eleventh of September to the Eleventh
 of this Instant December in the hole — £ 75 - 0 - 0

At a Meeting of y^e select Men February 15/1749/50
 There was an Order Drawn on William Allen
 Town Treasurer or Successor in said Office to
 pay To Joseph Hasckel or order six pound
 Old Tenor For one Cord and half wood y^e said
 Hasckel Delivered To Dorothy Stone which sum
 is in Full For wood y^e said Hasckel Del. to y^e
 said Stone 6.00

At y^e same Meeting there was an Order Drawn
 on y^e Town Treasurer or Successor in said Office
 To pay To Elisabeth Howard or order y^e sum
 of Fifty Three pounds Old Tenor which sum is
 in Full For keeping Nathan Poling one
 Year Tel y^e First Day of June past 1749/£ 53⁰⁰ or 0

At y^e same Meeting Abatted to Constable Sam^l Allen
 in his List Peter Bennett Rates to y^e Town and Provenue
 Which is Two pound & 3^d Old Tenor and gave him
 an Order on Wm Allen Town Treasurer or Successor
 in said Office For y^e above sum — £ 2 - 0 - 8

At y^e same Meeting Abatted To Constable Nath^l
 Day in his List y^e Following Rates

Benjamin Nites Town & Provenue — 5 - 4 - 2

Thomas Meservey — 4 - 11 -

James Turnoy — 4 - 11 -

Peter Bennett — 4 - 11 -

Allowed said Day in Mr Cincom Rates — 18 - 17 - 2

to y^e Town — 1 - 1 - 6

also allowed said Day in Left Thomas

Allen Rate to y^e Provenue in Old Tenor — 4 - 0 -

at y^e same Time an Order was Drawn £ 23 - 18 - 2

on Wm Allen Town Treas^r or Successor in

said Office to pay or Discount with Cons

table Day y^e above sum Twenty three

pounds Eighteen shilling and two pence

Old Tenor

At a meeting of 4th Select men February 15/1749/5-248
 There was Abated To Constable Joseph
 Hibert 4th Following Rates
 William Neal Rates to Town & Province Old Tenor 5-5-0
 Nathaniel Hadlock 4-11-0
 Allowed aron Bray one head Town 4-11-0
 and Province 14-7-0

At 4th same time gave Constable
 Joseph Hibert an order on 4th Town
 Treasurer or Successor in said office
 For 4th above Fourteen pounds Seven
 Shillings and For one hundred and 100-0-0
 Which is For keeping Ebenezer Stevens
 one year Which is in full in 4th Whole
 one hundred and Fourteen pounds
 Seven Shillings Old Tenor £114-7-

at a meeting of the select men February 23/1749/50
 there was an order Drawn william Allen Town Treasurer
 or Successor in Office to pay Cap James Jones twenty four pounds
 old tenor for services Don for the town as select man in the year
 1749 6-0-0

at the same meeting there was an order Drawn upon willm Allen
 Town Treasurer to pay upon william Haskell the sum of thirty
 one pounds for services Don for the town as select man & four pounds
 fifteen shillings for his time and Charge in Running the line between
 Gloucester & Ipswich in the year 1749 in the hole 35-15-0

At the same meeting an order was drawn on the Town
 Treasurer to pay Samuel Stevens sum or order the sum of
 twenty seven pounds ten shilling old tenor it being for services
 Don for the Town as select man in the year 1749 27-10-0

At the same meeting there was an order Drawn on willm Allen
 Town Treasurer to pay to John Parsons the sum of twenty
 one pounds ten shillings old tenor it for services Don
 for the town as select man in the year 1749 £21-10-0

March 6/1749 at a meeting of the select men there
 was an order Drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay
 william Allen or order the sum of twenty three pounds
 old tenor it being for services Don for the town as select man
 in the year fourteen hundred forty nine £23-0-0

249 At the same meeting their was an order
Drawn on the Town Treasurer to pay Capt. William
Elery the sum of seventy eight pounds 18-6 old tenor
It being for the select mens Expence in the year
1749 ————— £ 78-10-0

At a meeting Select men April 23/1750
an Order was Drawn on Wm Allen Town
Treasurer or Successor to pay to Mr John
Roberts or his Order y^e sum of Two pound,
Ten Shillings and Eight pence Farthing
For Service in Taking Care of y^e
poor Last Year ————— 2-10-8

At a Meeting of the Select Men June 28th 1750
Ordered that the Town Treasurer pay to Mr Samuel Stevens
Junr. or his Order the Sum of One pound Sixteen Shillings
Lawfull Money for Service done for the Town as Overseer
of y^e poor last Year ————— £ 1-16-0

At the same Meeting June 28 1750
Six Orders Each of three pounds Six Shilling & Eight Pence
were drawn upon the Town Treasurer to be paid to Mr
Samuel White for keeping the Town School from the Eleventh
Day of December to the Eleventh Day of June instant.
in the whole twenty five pounds Lawfull money £ 25-0-0

At a meeting of y^e select men October 29/1750
Four Orders was Drawn on y^e Town Treasur to pay
Mr Samuel White each order three pounds six shillings
and Eight pence which is in full for keeping
school from y^e Eleventh Day of Last June to y^e Eleventh
Day of this Instant October in y^e whole Thirteen
pounds six Shillings and Eight pence Lawfull
money ————— £ 13-6-8

At a Meeting of the Select Men October 29th 1750
 An Order was drawn upon Mr William Allen Town
 Treasurer or Successor in said Office to pay to
 Mr Parker Lawyer the sum of one hundred and
 twenty Pounds Twelve Shillings & Two s for gathering
 Six hundred & three pound, last Emission when
 he was Constable in 1748. old Tenor £ 120.12.0

At meeting select men February 14th 1750
 an order was Drawn on Wm Allen Town Treas.
 or Successor to pay to Capⁿ James Davis or Order y^e sum
 of one pound Five Shillings & six pence Lawfull money
 For service Don y^e Town as select man £ 1.5.6
 At y^e same Time an order Drawn on y^e Treasurer to pay
 to Mr John Parsones or Order y^e sum of one pound
 Four shillings Lawfull money For service Done y^e Town
 as select man £ 1.4.0

At y^e same Time an order Was Drawn on y^e Town
 Treasurer to pay To Mr William Haskel or Order
 y^e sum of one pound Ten shillings Lawfull money
 For service Done y^e Town as select man £ 1.10.0
 At y^e same meeting an order was Drawn on y^e Town
 Treasurer To pay To Daniel Witham Esq^r or his
 Order y^e sum Twenty seven shillings Lawfull money
 For service Don y^e Town as select man and Thirty
 Shillings For Swearing y^e Town Officers y^e Year past
 in y^e Whole two pound Seventeen Shillings Lawfull
 money £ 2.17.0

at y^e same meeting an order was Drawn on Wm
 Allen Town Treasurer to pay himself y^e sum of Two
 pound Eleven Shillings & Eight pence For service
 Don y^e Town as select man y^e For pore Stocks
 Lawfull money £ 2.11.8

At meeting of y^e select men April 11th 1751
 an order was Drawn on William Allen Town Treasurer
 or successor in said office to pay to Capⁿ William Clary
 or Order y^e sum of Four pound Lawfull money Quarter
 shillings Being y^e Expenses of y^e select men in Year 1750
 £ 4.16

251 At Meeting select men April 11/1751
 Gave Mr. Samuel Shoen Two Orders
 on y^e Town Treasurer Each Order one
 pound Fourteen shillings and Eight
 pence For Service Done y^e Town in
 y^e Year 1750. as over Seas of y^e poor
 and for Service Done y^e Town as Attorney
 at Sallers Court Against John Pool For
 Refusing to Take y^e Oath of Constable
 y^e Above is in Full

At a Meeting of the Select Men September 9th 1751.
 Timothy Jay had fifty nine pounds five Shillings Old Tenor
 and by another Order Ten Shillings lawful Money Allowed him
 among the Proprietors of Highways.

At the Same Meeting Sept. 1. 1751
 Allocated to Constable Samuel Griffin 3^d the following Rates
 viz in the Province Tax In the Town Left

Thomas Oakes.	1. 0. 0	Samuel Griffin	4. 4
John Pearse	1. 2. 6	Solomon Sargent	1. 0. 8
Sol ^o Sargent.	1. 9. 6	Th ^o Oaky	13. 4
Samuel Griffin	6. 6 left in p ^r son	Old Tenor	1. 18 4
	3. 18 6 left in p ^r son		

Allowed to the said Constable Samuel Griffin the third pound
 seven pounds nineteen Shillings and six pence Old Tenor
 for Which Sum an Order was drawn upon the Treasurer to
 pay the Same to the said Griffin The whole being
 sixty five Pounds Eleven Shillings Old Tenor.

At a Meeting of the Select Men of Gloucester Sept^r 13th 1751.

Ordered that the Treasurer pay to Mr Nathaniel Knifman or his Order
 the Sum of three Shillings & two pence half Penny for two Boxes with
 Locks and Keys to put the Names of the Jury Men into in Order to
 their being drawn as the Law directs. £ 0. 3. 2½

At a meeting of y^e Select Men February 3/1751
 There Was abated to Constable William Ellwell
 the Following Rates in his List Viz

Ving ^e Grovena		Liz ^d Town	
Pherey Doib	0 - 16 - 5	0 - 12 - 6	
James Daves ^r	0 - 1 - 2	0 - 16 - 10	
Joseph Gardner	1 - 14 - 0	0 - 5 - 8	
James Goodridge	17 - 11	0 - 12 - 8	
Thomas Harris ^r	1 - 6 - 3	1 - 1 - 0	
Constantine Tosten	0 - 17 - 1	0 - 12 - 9	
Samuell Ingersoll	0 - 16 - 1	0 - 12 - 0	
James Polen	0 - 16 - 1	0 - 12 - 0	
Enuch Rust	0 - 16 - 1	0 - 12 - 0	
Jacob Row	2 - 19 - 11	0 - 15 - 5	
Benjamin Tarbox ^r	1 - 15 - 5	1 - 9 - 8	
Jonathan Brown	1 - 15 - 0	1 - 5 - 10	
William Goot	16 - 1	0 - 12 - 0	
John Prime	16 - 1	0 - 12 - 0	
James Brown	16 - 1	0 - 12 - 0	
Mahal Weber head	16 - 1	0 - 12 - 0	
	<u>16 15 9</u>	<u>11 16 4</u>	

At the same Meeting February 3/1751 Gave Constable William Ellwell an Order on William Allen Town Treas^r or Successor in said Office For y^e above abatement, Which is Ten pound Ten shillings and six pence Lawfull Money also Gave him an order for Gathering two Thousand three Hundred and Twenty one pound Six shillings and three pence Old Tenor Which comes to Fifty six pound Nine shillings and Five pence ^{1/2} Lawfull money in y^e Whole Twenty Five pound Nineteen shillings and Eleven pence happening Lawfull Money 25 - 19 - 11 1/2

At making February 7/1751

Gave to Constable William Ellwell an order on William Allen Town Treas^r or Successor in said Office For Four pound ^{Two pence} Lawfull money For Service Don y^e Town Warning Town Meetings and ~~Warning Town Meetings~~ and Warning People Out of Town and Warning Town Officers to Take their Oaths and Money he paid for Returning persons Names he Wained out Town

253 At meeting of 4 Select Men Febr 7 1752

There was Abated to Constable James Stanwood
Rates in his List Viz

in 4 th Province	in 4 th Town
Robert Poole Juner on 16.1	0 - 0 - 0
Samuel Moragay on 16.1	0 - 12 - 0
Widow Semimi Millet	0 - 12 - 0
Nathanian Plumer on 17.	0 - 17 - 4
Phelps Stanwood on 1 - 12 - 6	1 - 4 - 4
Samuel Eliot on 18.2.	0 - 13 - 10
Jedediah Daves on 1 - 5 - 7	1 - 4 -
Peter Benet on 16 - 1	0 - 12 - 0
John Low Juner he being Rated twice on 16.1	0 - 0 - 0
Isaac Daves on 16.1	0 - 12 - 0
8 - 13.8	7 - 0 - 1

For all Which Abatements amounting to the Sum of
five Pounds Eleven Shilling and three pence half Penny lawful
Money and Order was then drawn upon the Treasurers £5. 11. 3¹/₂

At the Same Meeting February of 7th 1752.
There were the following Abatements made to Constable
Abraham Robinford viz: Nathaniel Camage .1.10

John Sabille .1.10
Thomas Hoole .1.10
John Davis .1.11

For all Which Abatements amounting to seven Shilling, ⁷/₁₀ pence
and Twenty Shillings and ten pence for the lysterizing of Two only
Pounds Eighteen Shilling, & two pence an Order was then drawn
upon the Treasurers at the above Meeting £1. 8. 5

At the Same Meeting Feb. 7th 1752.
There was abated to Constable Samuel Lane for Rates that could not be
gathered in his List In the Town List in the Province.

John Hoole old Tenor "10.0 left Emision - 16.1

For Which an Order was then drawn upon the Treasurers at
amounting to nine Shillings & Eleven pence new lawful Money.
£0.9.11.

At 4th same meeting of 4th Select Men Feb^{ry} 7/1752
 an Order was Drawn on William Allen²⁵⁴
 Town Treasurer or Successor in said Office to
 pay to Constable Joseph Hibbert on order 4th
 sum of Eight pounds thirteen shilling and nine
 pence Lawfull Money Which sum is in Full
 For gathering one thousand three hundred
 and three pounds Olde Tenor £ 8. 13. 9

At the Same Meeting of the Select Men Feb^{ry} 7 1752
 Motion to Constable James Haskell Ichabod Woodberry : 1. 10
 For Which & gathering twenty eight Pounds Eleven Shilling
 & two pence and for Warning Meetings & Jury Men an Order
 was drawn upon the Treasurer to pay him said James Haskell the
 sum of two pounds Eleven Shillings ————— 2. 11. 0

At the Same Meeting
 There was voted to paye James Pearson for the following
 Rates that could not be gathered viz

	In the Town	In the Province
Stephen Jones	6. 3	6. 3
Benjamin Tarboox	6. 3	6. 3
Samuel Wallis	6. 7.	6. 3
	19. 3	18. 9

For Which an Order was then drawn for twelve Shillings and
 seven pence Half penny Lawfull upon the Town Treasurer

At a Meeting of the Select Men February 7 1752
 An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay
 to Mr Joseph Heberd ten Shillings for ~~ten~~ days spent in
 perambulating the line between Masset & Gloucester and
 for service of Constable. ————— £ 10. 0. 0

At meeting of 4th select men March 2/1752
 an order was Drawn on William Allen Town Treas^r
 or Successor in said Office to pay himself 4th sum of
 two. pounds seven Shillings and seven pence Lawfull
 Money for service Don 4th town as Select Man and
 for one Quire paper —————

Gloucester March 2 / 1752

All meeting of y^e select men there was an Order Drawn on y^e Treasurer to pay to Mr Samuells Griffin or Order y^e sum of one pound sixteen shillings and six pence Lawfull money for service Done y^e Town as select man 1. 17. 6

At y^e same time there was an Order Drawn on y^e Treasurer to pay to Mr Samuel Stevens Super or Order y^e sum of two pounds Fifteen shillings and six pence Lawfull money for Service Done y^e Town as Select Man y^e Year past 2. 15. 6

All a Meeting of the Select Men March 2 1752 An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurers to pay or Disburse with Nathaniel Day Constable in 1748 the Sum of Seven pounds three shillings and four Two pence half penny for gathering the Sum of one Thousand & seventy four pounds old Tenor Value being the Town & Province Rates in his Life £ 7. 3. 2

At the above Meeting March 2 1752 An Order was drawn upon the Treasurer to pay to Nathaniel Haskell David Haskell & Isaac Haskell each three shillings a piece for perambulating the Line between Gloucester & Ipswich. £ 0. 9. 0

At the same Meeting March 2 1752 An Order was drawn upon the Treasurer to pay to Mr William Haskell or his Order Two Pounds Eight Shillings for Service done for the Country Select Man the Year past. £ 2. 8. 0

At the same Meeting March 2 1752 An Order was drawn upon the Treasurer to pay to Daniel Witham or his Order the Sum of three pounds seven shillings and four Pence Two pounds sixteen shillings and six pence being for Service done for y^e Town Ten Shillings and Ten Pence for Harkins after a School Master & paper found the Town £ 3. 7. 4

At the same Meeting March 2 1752 An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurers or his Order the Sum of three pounds six shillings and eight pence for Service done the Town as Overseer of the Poor last Year £ 3. 6. 8

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At a meeting of the Select Men March 7th 1752
An Order was drawn upon the Treasurer to pay to Mr Samuel
Stevens junr or his Order two pounds One Shilling and four
Pence One Pound seventeen Shillings & four pence for two
Journeys after a Schoolmaster & three Days spent at Newbury
Court against Rob Honnours refusing to serve Constable and
four Shillings more for perambulating Manchester Line after Spring

At the same Meeting March 7th 1752 an Order was
drawn upon the Treasurer or Successor to pay to Cap^t William
Ellery or his Order the Sum of Seven pounds one Shilling
and five Pence being the Expences of the Select Men the Year
past £ 7. 1. 5

At a meeting of 4th select Men June 11/1752
An Order was Drawn ^{in paid office} on William Allen Town
Treasurer or successor to pay to Mr Thomas Rand
or Order 4th sum of Twelve pounds six shillings
for keeping school in this Town from 4th Ninth Day
of Decem^r Last past to 4th ninth Day June Instant
£ 12. 6. 0

At a meeting of the Select Men of Gloucester July 7th 1752
An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer to pay or allow
to Samuel Lane late Constable the Sum of five Pounds Eight
Shilling and Two Pence for Gathering Eight hundred and Eleven
Pounds one Shilling and four Pence old Tenor £ 5. 8. 2

At the same Meeting July 7th 1752 the following Rates
were abated to Samuel Lane late Constable viz

Jonathan Fellows $\frac{1}{3}$ of his Carl Estate Rate	old Tenor	3. 19. 4
John Savill and Head	old Tenor	3. 16. 4
Samuel Griffin Junr one (in sons) Head	old Tenor	3. 16. 4
		11. 12. 0

for all Which as also for 9/11 more abated to John Noble
and Order including the above 5. 8. 2 was drawn upon
the Treasurer

At a meeting of the Select Men July 7th 1752

An Order was drawn upon the Treasurer to pay to Mr William Hasckell jun^r the Sum of five Pound Ten Shillings for Diet Washing and Lodging Mr John Rand Schoolmaster from 7th 22nd Day of February last to 12th Day of June last. £ 5. 10. 0

An Order was drawn upon the Treasurer to pay to Josiah Choate Eight Shillings Agreeable to the Order of the County Treasurers to be allowed Out of the County Tax. £ 0. 8. 0

August 3/1752

At a Meeting of y^e Select men there was Two Order Drawn on William Allen Town Treasurer or Successor to pay to Nathaniel Bray or Order one of y^e said Orders is One pound Eight shillings Law full money y^e Other y^e Other six shillings Law full money Which is in Full For a Gate.

At a meeting of the Select Men August 3rd 1752

There was abated to John Benet Constable for the Year 1746 The following Rates Viz: in the Province Rate in Town Rate Left

To Isaac Mandel	6. 32 four fold	6. 3 } Old Tenor.
Solomon Allen	6. 3	6. 3
Peter Benet.	6. 3	6. 3
Arthur Whaaff	8. 0	8. 0
John Clarke	7. 3	7. 3
	1. 14. 0 four fold	1. 14. 0 Old Tenor

Amounting in the whole to One Pound two Shillings eight Pence. For which Sum an Order was then drawn upon the Treasurer or his Successor to pay to him the said John Benet or his Order Law full Money £ 1. 2. 8 At the same time.

At a meeting of the Select Men Aug: 24th 1752.

An Order was drawn upon the Treasurer to pay for Samuel Rust or his Order the Sum of Eight Pound one Penny One Pound fifteen Shillings is for Calling Town Meeting and warning Jury Men &c and the Rest for gathering the Town and Province Rates. £ 8. 0. 1

At A Meeting of the Select Men Aug²⁴ 1752 258

An Order was drawn upon the Treasurer to pay to M^r Thelemor
Warner the Sum of fourteen Shillings & Eleven pence Two Shillings
& five pence Whereas for a new Sealed Half Basket and
the Rest for his Care as Seller of weights and Measures L^s: 14.11
at y^e same meeting August 24

There Was an Order Drawn on y^e Treasurer to pay
to Cap^tn John. Prince or Order y^e sum of Two
pounds Five Shillings and Four pence Lawfull Money
at y^e same time There was an other Order Drawn on
y^e Treasurer to pay Cap^tn John Prince y^e sum of Two
pounds Which sum is in Full For attending at y^e Gate
Near y^e Cut in Order to prevent y^e small pox From
Spreading in This Town L^s 2.0.0

At meeting of y^e select men August 27 1752

there was three Orders Drawn on William Allen Town
Treasurer or Successor in said Office to pay to Daniel
Sargent or his order Which is in Full for his attendance
at y^e Battery in y^e Harbour From y^e Fifteenth Day
of April Last to This Day in order to prevent y^e Spreading
of y^e small Pox one of said orders is one pound
Fourteen Shillings and Eight pence 1.14.8

& one pound Seven Shillings and Four pence 1.17.4

& an other Order y^e sum of Fourteen pounds 14.0.0
Lawfull money 17.12.0

At a Meeting of the Select Men Sept^r 28 1752

There was paid to Nathaniel Bray five Shillings and three
pence Lawfull Money for being his Rate in Daniel Blafley
Lift who was constable in 1750 and Seven Shillings and seven
pence one farthing being his 1st Bray's Rate in Timothy Day
Lift who was constable in 1749 for both which an Order
was then drawn upon the Treasurer L^s 0.12.10 1/4

259 At meeting of y^e Select Men October 3/175

There Was Committed to Constable Benjamin Wheler a List of y^e province Tax amounting to y^e sum of Fiftey ~~one pound~~ Seven pounds sixteen Shillings and one penny Lawfull money Where of he is to pay Fiftey one pounds To y^e Province Treasurer and y^e Over plus being six pounds sixteen shillings and one penny Which he is to pay in to y^e Town Treasurer

Also a List of y^e Town Tax amounting to y^e sum of Twentey Seven pounds fourteen Shillings and Four pence Lawfull money Which he is Ordered to pay in to y^e Town Treasurer on or before y^e First Day of March Next

at y^e same time there was Committed to Constable John Roberts a List of y^e province Tax Amounting to y^e sum of Seventey Four pounds twelve Shillings Lawfull money Where of he is to pay in to y^e province Treasurer y^e sum of Sixtey six pounds and y^e Over plus being Eight pounds twelve Shillings Lawfull money Which he is to pay in to y^e Town Treasurer

Also a List of y^e Town Tax Amounting to y^e sum of Thirtey Seven pounds Nine shillings and Nine pence Lawfull money Which he is Ordered to pay in to y^e Town Treasurer on or before y^e First Day of March Next

At y^e Same Time there was Committed to Constable Tomath an Brown a List of y^e province Tax Amounting to y^e sum of Fiftey Eight pounds thirteen shilling and Eight pence Lawfull money Where of he is to pay in to y^e province Treasurer Fiftey one pounds and y^e Over plus being seven pounds thirteen shillings and Eight pence Which he is to pay in to y^e Town Treasurer

Also a List of y^e Town Tax amounting to y^e sum of Twentey Seven pounds fourteen Shillings and Four pence Lawfull money Which he is Ordered to pay in to y^e Town Treasurer on or before y^e First Day of March Next

At y^e Same Time there was Committed to Constable Joseph Sargent a List of y^e province Tax amounting to y^e sum of Eightey ~~two~~ pounds thirteen Shillings and Ten pence Lawfull money Where of he is to pay in To y^e province Treasurer Seventey Four pounds and The Over plus being Eight pounds thirteen Shillings and Ten pence Which he is Ordered to pay in to y^e

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Town Treasurer Also a List of 4th Town Tax Amounting
to 4th sum of Fourteen pound ~~Thirteen~~ Shillings and Five
pence Lawfull money Which he is Ordered to pay in to 4th
Town Treasurer on or before 4th First Day of March Next

At 4th Same Time there was Committed to Constable
Samuell Elwell a List of 4th Provenge Tax amounting
to 4th sum of One hundred and Ten pounds Two Shillings
and Eleven pence Lawfull money Where of he is to pay in
to 4th provence Treasurer Ninety Nine pounds three shillings
and Seven pence and 4th Over plus being Ten pound ~~Thirteen~~
Shilling, and Four pence Which he is to pay in to 4th Town
Treasurer

Also a List of 4th Town Tax amounting to 4th sum of
Fifty three pound ~~Seventeen~~ Shilling, and Six pence Law
full money Which he is Ordered to pay in to 4th Town Treas-
urer on or before 4th First Day of March Next

At meeting of 4th Select men February 13/1753
there was an Order Drawn on the Town Treas-
to pay to Deacon William Haskel an Order 4th sum
Two pound Fourteen Shillings Lawfull money For
Service Don 4th Town as Select man Year Past 2.14.0
at 4th Same Time there Was an Order Drawn on 4th
Town Treasurer to pay to Capⁿ James Davis an Order
4th sum of Two pound Fifteen Shillings and six pence
Lawfull money For Service Don 4th Town 4th Year
past as Select man 2.15.6

At 4th same time There Was An Order Drawn on
4th Town Treas^r to pay or Allow to Joseph Newell
Seventeen Shillings and Seven pence Lawfull money
By Reason of his being Rated for Scooner and one
head Which he Lost 0.17.7

At 4th same Time there was an Order Drawn
on 4th Treasure to Allow to Josiah Chole 4th sum
of Four Shillings Lawfull money he being over Rated

At the Same Time there Was an Order Drawn on
4th Treasurer to pay to M^r Samuel Stevens 4th sum
of Two pound Seventeen Shillings Lawfull money
For Service Done 4th Town as Select man Year
Past 2.17. —

Gloster Feb^y 13/1753

At a meeting of Select men there was an
Order Drawn on y^e Town Treasurer to pay
William Allen y^e sum of three pound Lawfull
For Service Done y^e Town as Select man
y^e Year Past £ 3. 0. 0

At y^e Same meeting there Was an Order
Drawn on y^e Treasurer to allow to Lth Thomas
Allen y^e sum of seven Shillings Lawfull he
being over Rated y^e above sum in y^e Town List
and Poovine List £ 0. 7. 0

At y^e same time abatted Capt^m Eodells
head to Town and Province & gave him an
Order on Constable John Roberts to allow y^e
same Which is £ 0. 6. 2

At y^e same time there Was an Order
Drawn on William Allen Town Treasurer
or his Successor to pay to M^r Joseph Tarbox
Or Order y^e sum of twelve Shillings Law
full money Which sum is in full for making
Fence and hanging Gate Near Jonathan Benets
house £ 0. 12. 0

At y^e same meeting an Order was Drawn
on William Allen Town Treasurer or Successor
in said Office to pay Philemon Worner Juner
seven Shillings and one penny the contents of
his Bill January 3/1753 £ 0. 7. 1

At y^e same time there was an Order Drawn
on William Allen Town Treas^r or Successor in said
Office to pay Danell Wilham Esq^r y^e sum of
three pound one Shilling and six pence for
Service Done y^e town as Select Man y^e Year
past £ 3. 1. 6

At a Meeting of the Select Men March the 6th 1753
An Order was drawn upon the Treasurer to pay to
Daniel

Daniel Witham or his Order the Sum of One Pound twelve Shillings and four Pence halpenny being his Bill for Service and Trouble in the Time of the Small Pox for Work and Materially for fitting up the Towns House for an Hospital and the Carpenters Work about it. £ 1. 12. 4

An Order was drawn upon the Treasurer to pay to Mr Samuel Stevens jnr or his Order the Sum of Six Pounds thirteen Shillings & two Pence $\frac{1}{4}$ being his Bill for Service done for the Town this year past as Overseer of the Poor and a select Man in the Time of the Small Pox and for his expences about the Gate in the Time of the Small Pox. and one Shilling & seven pence for Clough Collaring the Towns House Chimney 6. 13. 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ 1. 7

An Order was drawn upon the present Treasurer or Successor to pay to Cap James Davis or his Order ten Shillings being his Charge for getting a schoolmaster and his Com & Trouble in the Time of the Small Pox last year 2. 10. 0 $\frac{1}{4}$

Proportion of 4th High Ways 1753 March 19

William Norwood proportion of 4th High Ways is Beginning at John pools Gate Near Pidgeon hill as 4th Way Goes Till you Come to Tobez Merchants house Including 4th Bridge by said merchants house and all persons When Legally Warned Within said Limits are Required to attend and Work on said Ways With Teams and Tools suitable

Deacon Samuel Griffins Proportion of 4th high Ways is Beginning at 4th Bridge Near John Tuckers house Including said Bridge so along as 4th Ways Goes Till you Come to Squam meeting house From Thence to 4th Wood Loke Also from Hapson Cove Bridge so Called as 4th Way Goes Till you Come to Harbours Point all persons Within said Limits are Required to attend and Work on said Ways With Teams and Tools suitable When Legally Warned

263^o At meeting of y^e Select men March 19/1753

There Was abated to Constable Nehemiah Stanwood
Tediack Dave Rate to y^e province L. 0. 5. 0
Jacob Easter Rate to y^e Town & } — 0. 7. 10
Province }
Joshua Hambellon Rate Town & Province 0. 6. 6
0. 19. 4

at y^e same Time there Was an order
Drawn on William Allen Town Treasurer on
Successor in said Office to pay to Constable
Nehemiah Stanwood y^e Above nineteen Shillings
and Four pence also to pay y^e said Stanwood
y^e sum of Four pound Fourteen Shillings
Which sum is for Gathering y^e Town and prov
ince Rate amounting to y^e sum Ninety Four
pound Fourteen Shillings and one penny Law
Full money

at y^e same time Gave y^e said Stanwood
an order on y^e Treasurer to pay him
one pound three Shillings for warning people
out of Town and Gelling them Recorded at y^e session
and Warning Town meetings — L. 1. 3. 0

Proportion of the high Ways 1753. March 19th

Joseph Littlehales Proportion of the high Ways is from the Beaver
Dam to the Bridge over the Ditch running out off Littlewood Harbour
Marsh excluding that Bridge and from that Bridge to Cap John
Corney including him and thence along the high Way to Cap John
Ingolfly and thence on the South & Eastern side of a Way to the
Wharfe belonging to Cap Nathaniel Elory and all people liable
are to attend mending high Ways with Teams & Tools suitable
when legally warned.

Samuel Stevens find Proportion of the high Ways y^e all
the People and high Ways on the Western and Northern side of
the high Way from Solomon Ingolfly House to Cap Nathaniel
Elory Wharfe and from Solomon Ingolfly a foot by the Town
Mill to the Town or fourth Parish line and from Cap Nathaniel Elory
afores^d to the Cut & the Parting of the Ways by the Harbour wharfe
and from the Cut to the Gate by Deacon John Parsons and
thence again to Little River Bridge excluding that Bridge
and all Persons liable are to attend mending high Ways with
find Limits with Teams & Tools when legally warned.

at meeting Select men March 27/1753 264
there Was an Order Drawn on William Allen Towne
Treasurer or Successor in said Office To pay to
Capt Isaac Goddell or Order y^e sum of three Shillings
and four pence being Due to him for mending y^e
Cauway beyond Capt William Goodreggs in y^e Last
Year

Hebece Dags Proportion of the high Ways is from the Gate
by Solomon Babsons House to the Hill on the Western Side of
the Cauway over the great Swamp thro fresh water and all Persons
liable within said Limits are to attend mending high Ways with Teams
and Tools when legally warned

William Morgans Proportion of the high Ways is from Cap Goddells
Mill Pond to Little Cove and from the Hill on the Western Side of the
Cauway over the great Swamp to Manchester Line and all Persons
liable within said Limits are to attend mending high Ways with Teams and
Tools when legally Warned.

Joseph Saywors Proportion of the high Ways is all the high Ways
on the Eastern Point to Cap John Conways excluding him and all Persons
liable within said Limits see

Caleb Pools Proportion of the high Ways is from Squam Line
to the Beaver Dam and from ^{then by} Sandy Bay & thence as the way
goes to Littlewood Harbour River on the Bridge over the ditch
running out off Stark naught Harbour including that Bridge
and all Persons liable within said Limits.

John Low Jr^r Proportion of the high Ways beginning at the
western Side of the Mill River and along the Way to Lieut Thomas
Attens including him & his Son Isaac & thence by the Meeting House
as the way goes to Samuel Paffors just Horse including him as
the House of Jacob Corter and to work one Day with your Men
on Biffie Island and all Persons liable within said Limits see

Idace Whorps Proportion of y^e High Ways is Beginning at
John Tuckers Bridge From thence as y^e Way goes To
Benjamin Allens Deceased as far as y^e Wood Lots and all
y^e Way from your house as far as Daniel Emmons Excluding
said Emmons and y^e Way along By Jeremiah Mittels Till
you com to Abraham Mittels house Including Abraham
Mittels all persons Within said Limits When Legally Warned
are Required To attend & Work on said Ways With Teams
and Tools suitable

255 Anthony Benets Proportion of 4th high Ways
is Begining at Ring^{ton} Mill Dam and both thence
along by Daniel Emmons and Robert Day and
James Daves hour Excluding Emmons Day and
Daves Above mentioned and as 4th Way goes as
far as 4th Widow Trevers and 4th Way along By John
Brewers Till you come to your Hour and as 4th Way
goes from your hour to Beaver Dam Including
Jonathan Wollis and John ^{the} Ingewot and as 4th way goes
from your hour to Lett^{ts} Allens hour Excluding him
and son Jean Allen all persons Within said Limits
are Required to attend and Work on said Way With
Teams and Tools futable When Legally Warned

Nicholas Brays Proportion of the High ways is as Followeth
Begining at m^d Aaron Brays & so along as the way goes to
the Meeting House & along by Timothy Daves as the way goes
Go the Head of Little River and Along the Road to Littleton
As far as Capt: Eveletts mill Pond Including Nathaniel Brays
& William and then from the Head of Dikes Lane by
Capt: Byles & Hashells Saw mill till you come to Ipswich
Line Including the ways that runs from Hashells Saw mill
Go m^d Joseph Hashells & so along to the Notherly Road that
Leads to Ipswich & also the way that runs from said Saw
mill along by John Douges and along by M^r welmans Includ
ing: m^d Benjⁿ Hashell & son William and Deacon William
Hashell & son also you are ordered to work one Day on
the Road that Leads to Hodgkins ferry Including m^d
Ebenazar Day & son Job And all persons within said Lim
with their Teams all Tools are Required to Attend said Service
on the Higways when Legally so arned

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Mr Jacob Haskells Proportion of the Highways is
 as followeth Begining at Squam ferry as the way
 goes by Mr Josiah Choate To Inwich Line and back
 from said Line as the way goes by Mr John Roberts
 & by Ebenezer Doy's House & along by Mr Joseph Hemicks
 & David Pulpers To Squam Road as afore^sd and all
 Persons within said Limits with Their Teams & Tools are
 Required to Attend said Service on the High ways when
 Legally warned

At a Meeting of the Select Men May the 21st 1753.

An Order was drawn upon Cap^t William Allen Town Treasurer or
 his Successor in said Office to pay to Mr Samuel Whittemore ^{or his Order} the Sum
 of Six Pounds thir^{teen} Shillings and four Pence for keeping the Town
 School one Quarter of a Year which began December the 25th 1752.

6. 13. 4

An Order was drawn upon the Treasurer to pay to Mr Thomas
 Jaques or his Order the Sum of thirteen Pound Six Shillings and eight
 Pence for keeping the Town School four Months in the latter End
 of the Year 1752 & beginning of the Year 1753.

13. 6. 8.

At a meeting of the Select Men September the 18th 1753
 There were ~~present~~ ^{present} Benjamin Wheeler the following Rates in
 his List Viz In the Province In the Town

Jonathan Fellows jun ^r	4. 2	12. 0
Robert Man	4. 2	12. 0
William Sargent	4. 2	12. 0
Archibald Canister	4. 2	12. 0
Samuel Cow	4. 2	12. 0
Benjamin Sursey	4. 2	12. 0
	1. 5. 0	12. 0

Total £ 1. 17. 0 for Which and four Pounds

three Shillings & eight Pence for gathering 83. Pound 13 Shill & 5^p amounting
 In the Whole six Pounds and eight Pence an Order was then drawn upon Cap^t
 William Allen Town Treasurer or Successor in said Office

6. 8. 8.

25th At a meeting of the Select Men September 24th 1753
 There was abated to Constable Jabez Baker the following
 Taxes in his List viz^t

Jabez Baker	6.6	John Wheeler	3.0.0
David Parsons	6.6		2.3
Abraham Bunting	6.6	Thomas Day	6.6
Arthur Chundrow	6.6	Ebenezer Mooljun	6.6
John Power	6.6	George Young	6.6
Thomas Moseley	6.6	David Liffey	6.6
Ebenezer Witham	8.0	Benjamin Saffrey	6.6
Edw. Grover	6.6	Joseph Donnell	6.6
Cap. Thos. Sanders	6.6	Elisba Brown	10.4.
Carry over.	3.0.0		5.11.7

For which and also for the Sum of fourteen Pound,
 Sixteen Shillings for gathering his List of Rates, there was
 an Order drawn upon the Treasurer at the same Time.

At the same Meeting September 24. 1753

An Order was drawn upon the Treasurer to pay to ~~the~~
 Jabez Baker Jun^r or his Order the Sum of Ten Pounds,
 being the Sum voted to him for serving or providing one
 to serve in the Office of Constable.

At a meeting of 4th Select Men October 2/1753

There was Committed To Constable Winthrop Sargent
 a List of 4th province Tax amounting to 4th Sum
 Thirtie one pound, twelve Shillings and Six pence
 Whereof he is to pay in to 4th Province Treasurer 4th
 Sum of Twenty Nine pound, Twelve Shillings and
 Six pence and 4th Over Plus Being Two pound
 Which he is to pay in to 4th Town Treasurer

Also a List of 4th Town Tax amounting to
 the sum of thirtie Eight pound, Two Shillings
 and Six pence Which he is Ordered to pay in to
 The Town Treasurer on or before 4th Fast Day
 of March Next

At 4th same Time October 2/1753 268
 There was committed To Constable Philip
 Babson a List of 4th Province Tax amounting
 To 4th Sum thirley pound three Shilling and
 Two pence Where of he is To pay in to 4th Province
 Treasurer 4th sum of Twenley Eight pound three
 Shilling and Two pence and the over Plus being
 Two pound Which he is ordered to pay in To the
 Town Treasures Also a List of 4th Town Tax
 amounting to 4th sum of thirley Four pound Eighteen
 Shilling and one pence Which he is ordered to
 pay in to the Town Treasures on or Before the
 First Day march Next

At the same Time there was committed To
 Constable Eleazer Lervey a List of the Province
 Tax amounting to 4th sum of Seven pound one Shilling
 and Eleven pence Where of he is to pay in To 4th Province
 Treasurer Six pound Eleven Shilling and Eleven
 pence and the over Plus being Ten Shilling Which
 he is ordered to pay in To the Town Treasures
 Also A List of the Town Tax amounting to 4th sum
 of Seven pound thirleen Shilling and one pence
 Which he is ordered to pay in to 4th Town Treasurer
 on or before 4th First Day of march Next

At the same Time there was committed To Constable
 Elishalet Day a List of 4th Province Tax amounting
 To the sum of Twenley One pound Four Shilling
 and Eleven pence Where of he is to pay in To the
 Province Treasurer Nineteen pound Fourteen Shilling
 and Eleven pence and the over Plus Being One Pound
 Teen Shilling Which he is ordered to pay in to the Town
 Treasurer Also a List of the Town Tax amounting
 to 4th sum of Twenley Five pound one Shilling
 and Eleven pence Which he is ordered to pay in to
 the Town Treasures on or before 4th First Day of
 march Next

Mem This
 20. 17. 2 is
 committed to
 David Lane
 Jan'y 21. 1754
 and the Over
 plus
 7. 10. 0.

At the same time there was committed To Constable
 Francis Tarrant a List of 4th Province Tax amounting
 To the sum of Twenley Two pound Seven Shilling and Two
 pence Where of he is to pay in to 4th Province Treasurer
 Twenley pound seventeen Shilling and Two pence and the
 over Plus being one pound Seven Shilling Which he is to
 pay in To 4th Town Treasurer Also a List of the Town Tax
 amounting to the sum of Twenley Five pound Eleven
 Shilling and Eleven pence Which he is ordered to pay
 in To 4th Town Treasurer on or before the first Day march
 Next

At the same meeting October 1/1753
there was a List of the Province Tax Com-
mitted To Constable Jonathan Gilbert amounting
To the Sum of Twenty Seven pounds Nineteen
Shillings and Nine pence Where of he is to
pay in To the Province Treasurer Twenty Six
pounds Eighteen Shillings and Seven pence
and the Over plus being One pound one
Shilling and Two pence Which he is Ordered
to pay in To the Town Treasurer

Also a List of the Town Tax amounting
To the Sum of threety One pounds thirtysix
Shilling and Eight pence Which he is Ordered
to pay in to the Town Treasurer on or
Before 4th First Day of March Next

At a Meeting of the Select Men October 10th 1753
there was added to Constable Ezeck Lurvey's List of the Town
Rate the sum of umteen Shillings & five Pence and to his List
of the Province Rate fifteen Shillings & one penny

There was added to Constable Withthrop's Sargent's List of the
Town Rate Seven Shillings & nine pence and in his List of the
Province Rate Six Shillings & five Pence and Return made
to the Town Treasurer by William Allen accordingly

At a meeting of the Select Men January 8/1753
there was added To Constable Jonathan Brown
The Following Taxes in his List Viz

Province	Town
Sollomon Cole 4.2	0.2.0
Jacob Easter 4.11	2-0
James Day 4.2	0.2.0
John Evans 4.2	0.2.0
John Hues 4.2	2-0
Eliasm Smith 4.2	2-1
Charles Standood 4.2	2-0
Elias Ebery 4.2	2-
John Williams 5.1	2-6
1.19.2	25 18 7

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An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurer
to pay to Jonathan Brown or Order the Sum of four
Pounds, three Shillings for Gathering Eighty three Pounds and
one Penny. £ 4. 3. 0

Memorandum. It is mutually agreed between the said men and said Company that in whole or in part they will not keep any stock or other property in the said country for more than one year more.

At a meeting of the select men August 3: 1725
Then Received an Account of Abilim 3 Examine James
Scudder of words and measures for the town of Haverhill
which was committed to him by the select men of this town
for consideration for to return to wit of John one 56.
one 14: Excess dwits to: 6 1/2
Excess warts = two Excess and 2 1/2
peck 1/2 of a peck 1 EA: 1 yard: 20 one Excess quart
1 wine pint 1 half pint

271 At a meeting of the Select Men January
14/1754

an Order Was Drawn on William Allen
Town Treasurer or his Successor in said Office
To pay to m^r William Parsons or order the sum of
Six pounds being his account for Boarding
m^r Samuel Whitemore our School Master
thirteen Weeks from 4th Day of January
to the Day of April 1753

At a Meeting of the Select Men January 21/1754
There Was an Order Drawn on William Allen
Town Treasurer or his Successor in said Office
To pay to Doct^r Samuel Plummer or order
4th Sum of Ten pounds Sixteen Shillings Which
Sum is for keeping m^r Samuel Whitemore
Our School Master Twenty Five Weeks
and boarding at 4th 10th Weeks 10 16-0

At Meeting of the Select Men January the 21st 1754

The following Rates were abated in Constable John Roberts List
Viz^t Joel Stanwood . 6.2 Allowed to John Roberts Gun late
Nathaniel Broys 6.2 Constable Seven Shillings for warning
Nath^l Millet 9.2 Town Officer and two Shillings
Joseph Choate 4.0 for warning Dorothy Verney out of
Cap Eveleth 6.2 Town 19.0
1. 11. 8

For Which Are also for five Pounds ten Shillings & Six pence
for Gathering 110. 10. 1 Town & Provisions Rate amounting to

£ 7. 11. 2 An Order was then drawn upon the Town Treasurer

on William Allen or his Successor in said Office

At A Meeting of the Select Men on the 14th Day of February 1754
The following Rates were abated to Constable Samuel Ellwell the following

Rates	Viz ^t	Town	Province
Elisba Brown	—	4.7	9.7
Edward Gearing	—	2.0	4.2
Geo Gage	—	2.0	4.2
John Kaine	—	—	4.2
Joseph Gardner	2.0	—	4.2
Andrew Robinson	2.0	—	4.4
		12.7	1. 10. 7
			12. 0
			2. 3. 2

At a Meeting of the Select Men January 21. 1751
 Agreed with Benjamin Boynton to let him have the
 Towns Harb in the Starbourn the Eastern End for twenty
 Shillings a year he to leave it Repair as he found it
 and he agrees to pay the said twenty Shillings at the Year
 End to Comence from this Date to the Towns Harb of
 center for the Town being.

Benjamin Boynton

At the Same Meeting of the Select Men February 14. 1751
 Allowed to Constable Samuel ^{Esq.} for 1752 Eight Shillings
 for Service done for the Town in calling Meetings & Eight Pounds
 one Shilling & ten Pence for Collecting 161.17.3 for All which
 Abatement and Allowance amounting to ten Pounds twelve
 Shillings an Order was then drawn upon the Town £10.12.0

At the Same Meeting of the Select Men an order was drawn
 on William Allen Towns Treasurer or His Successor
 in said office to pay to Mr John Parsons or His order
 the Sum of Ten Shillings Six whereof is for two Days
 spent in Examining the Treasurers accounts last year
 & four Shillings he was over Rated in the year 1751 for
 & Vessel

At a meeting of the Select Men February 26/1754
 There Was an Order Drawn on William Allen Town
 Treasurer or his Successor in said Office to pay To
 James Stanwood Five Pounds Eleven Shillings &
 Four pence half penny Which sum in Full for
 Gathering Town & Province Tax for Year 1749

At y^e same Time there was an Order Drawn on William
 Allen Town Treasurer or his Successor in said Office to
 pay Mr Peter Coffin or Order y^e sum of One pound
 Sixteen shillings and six pence is for Service Don
 the Town as Select Men and his Expenses in Going
 to meet y^e Select Men of Ipswich about Chebacco Bridge

At y^e Sam time there was an Order Drawn on the Treas^r
 to pay Captⁿ William Stevens or Order y^e sum of
 Two pounds & six pence being for Service Don the
 Town as Select man y^e Year past and sixteen and three
 pence more being his Expenses in procuring School
 master in the Whole two pounds sixteen Shillings &
 Nine pence

£2.16.9

At A Meeting of y^e Select men Feb^y 26 / 1754
 There was an Order Drawn on William Allen
 Town Treasurer or his Successor in said Office to
 Pay To Your Self y^e sum of Two pound One ^{Shilling}
 one pound Nineteen Shilling, Where of is For Service
 Done y^e Town as Select men y^e Year past and
 Two shillings For his Expenses at Chebaro When
 they meet y^e Select men Inswich About Sebaco
 Bridge

£ 2 - 1 - 0

At y^e Same Meeting there was an Order Drawn
 on William Allen Town Treasurer or his
 Successor in said Office to pay To Capt^r James Davis
 or Order y^e sum of Two pound Eight Shilling
 and Six pence Two Shilling Where of is For his Expenses
 at Chebaro When they meet y^e Select men Inswich
 About Chebaro Bridge and y^e Remainder For Service
 Don the Town as Select men Year Past

£ 2 - 8 - 6

At the same Time there Was an Order Drawn
 On William Allen Town Treasurer or his Successor
 in said Office To Pay To Daniel Wilham Esq^r
 or his Order y^e sum of Two pound Twelve
 Shilling For Service Don y^e Town the Year
 Past and Ten Shilling For Swearing y^e Officers
 Year past

£ 3 - 2 - 0

At the same Time there Was
 an other Order Drawn on William Allen Town
 Treasurer or his Successor in said Office to pay
 To Daniel Wilham Esq^r or his Order y^e sum
 Six Shilling being For Two Days Spent as Comm-
 itte to make up With y^e Town Treasurer According
 to y^e Town Vole

£ 0 - 6 - 0

At the same meeting of y^e Select men there was
 an Order Drawn on William Allen Town Treas-
 urer or his Successor in said Office to pay To m^r Samuel
 Stevens Juner or Order y^e sum of Five pound
 Being his Bill For Service Done the Town as
 Over Seer of the Poor y^e Year Past

£ 5 - 0 - 0

At the same meeting of the Select men Feb^{ry} 26/1754
 there was an Order Drawn on William Allen 274
 Town Treasurer or his Successor in said Office
 to pay to Captⁿ William Ellery or Order of sum
 of six pounds thirteen shillings and four pence
 Whereof three shillings and four pence is For Paper
 Seven Shillings and six pence of Expenses of the Comm^{ee}
 that made up With y^e Town Treasurer Last Year
 £ 6. 13. 4

At a meeting of y^e Select men April 26/1754
 There Was abated to Constable George Denison
 The Following Taxes in his List

Town and Province	£ 6. 6
Widow Lanchford	0. 6. 6
Widow marthaw Babson	0. 9. 8.
William Sargent	5. 0
William Jamerson	6. 6.
John Daves	6. 6
Nathaniel Gamay	£ 2. 0. 8
Andrew Haskel	0. 6. 6
one head Town & Province	0. 6. 6
	2. 7. 2

At y^e same meeting there was an Order Drawn
 on William Allen Town Treasurer or his Successor
 to pay to Constable George Denison y^e sum of
 four pounds fifteen shillings and three pence
 Which sum is For Gathering Town & Province Tax
 For Year 1751 and Two pounds seven shillings and
 two pence For sundry abate ments above mentioned
 the Whole is seven pounds two shillings and
 five pence £ 7. 2. 5

At a meeting of y^e Select men June 26/1754

There was abated To Constable Joseph Sargent
 the Following Taxes in His List

Robert Pool	Town & Province	£ 0. 9. 3
Daniel Sargent		6. 2
Daved mullit		6. 2

at y^e same meeting there was an
 order Drawn on y^e Treasurer to pay to m^r
 Joseph Sargent one pound one shilling and seven
 pence For sundry abate ments
 £ 1. 1. 7

275 At Meeting of y^e Select men Decem^r 3/1751
at said Meeting y^e Town school was proportioned
For three years

the Harbour wards proportion of y^e three years
is nine months 9 men

Eastern point and y^e head of y^e harbour proportion
of three years is four month and half $4\frac{1}{2}$

the Western side of y^e Cut proportion of three years
is three months 3

the Cape proportion of three years is one
month and half $1\frac{1}{2}$

the Westerly wards proportion of y^e three years
is seven months 7

The Town or Townsh parish proportion of y^e
school For three years is Five month & Half $5\frac{1}{2}$

Squam Ward proportion of y^e school For three
years is Five months and Half $5\frac{1}{2}$

William Haskell }
Sam^l Stearns } Select
Sam^l Griffin } men
William Allen }

Abra court of persons reced in to town to 276
 february 20 1749 Cpt Isaac Euelth gave a Court of 276
 Hannah Euelth coming in to town on the five tenth
 Day of february 1749 & that she com from Ipswich

february 1749 Nyphas Stacy gave an a Court of
 Robert Lee a Courers coming in to town the eight Day
 of february 1749

This may certify him it may certify willm Parker
 did Inform the town if he had Reced Thomas Rand as
 a tenant in one of his houses —
 This may certify if Thomas Allen Jnr hath Informd
 the select men that ther was one daniel & his faml
 at his house —

1749 This may certify that william Davis Informd of his son
 Belegs coming in to Town —

A Meeting of the Select Men on the 19th Day of
 November 1753

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurers to pay
 to Mr Samuel Whittemore or his Order the Sum of
 six Pound. thirteen shillings & four Pence which is a full
 for his keeping the Town & had the last Quarter here split

£ 8.13.4

An Order was drawn upon the Town Treasurers to pay
 to Mr Ezer Baker sixteen shillings & six Pence being
 an Addition made to his last to Nathaniel Sargent and
 Matthews Ryan when he was constable which he dectd
 not gather

= 16.6

January 8 1754

upon the Samuel Eaton's List the following Names

Beniamon Tarbox pounce Rate	8 — 0
Davis withman & Chemiah Long	12 — 0
Thomas oakes	5 — 9
Joseph witham	2 — 9
also Chemiah Long's upel	1 — 8 — 6

Memorandum this first Day of August Anno Domini
 One Thousand Seven hundred & forty Eight Nathaniel Allen
 of Gloucester Shoreman has hired the Room upon the
 Watch House Neck ~~for~~ joining to the Battery for making
 (fish) of the select men of Gloucester for and during the Term
 of ten Years from the Date hereof for the Yearly Rent
 of five Pounds old Tenor so called a Year to be paid
 on the first Day of May annually the said Term to
 commence from the first Day of May last past
 The said Sum to be paid to the select men of the said
 Town or their Order or the Town Treasurer for the
 Time being Witness the Hands of the said ~~Parties~~
 select men on the one Part and the said Nathaniel
 Allen on the other Part interchangeably on the Day
 of the Date above written Nathaniel Allen

Memorandum ^{Allen} Whereas Nathaniel ^{a Part of} above named has bought ~~On~~
 the Room upon the Watch neck (which was lett to him by the above
 written) Some Time in the Year 1750 It is now agreed that he
 the said Allen shall pay Six Shillings and Eight Pence lawfull
 Money from the Time that he bought the other Part ~~Per Annum~~
 to the Town Treasurer as Rent of the Part which he has ~~bought~~
 not bought. to commence from the Time of the Year that he bought
 Glo^r Feb 13. 1753

Nathaniel Allen
 Gloucester Feb. 13 1753 Rec^d the Sum of forty Six Shillings
 and Eight Pence lawfull Money in full for the Rent
 of the above Part of the Watch House Neck ~~and all~~
 Neck untill the first Day of May next of Mr Nath^l
 Allen.

William Allen Town Treas^r

June 1754 Samuel Parsons Inform^d
George Cross lived with him as an apprentice

1754 mark Parsons Inform^d of Elizabeth
Crocker coming to his House as an
Apprentice Came from Dennis Scott

February 5/1755 This is to Inform you man
Yang has Bin at my house has Bin at my
house a week Came from Cape Cod
Mary Rust

June 30th 1755 Samuel Wadson Inform^d that he had taken into his
House a family William Day & Elizabeth his Wife and three Children
named John Benjamin & on the tenth instant who came
left from Sheepscott River
Memorand^m they had been some time in Town before they came to
Wadson's House.

June 24th 1755 Mr Eben Parsons Inform^d that he had taken into his House
Elizabeth Burnam an Apprentice about 10 years old from Ipswich and
she had been with him then 13 Days.

David Allen, Constable & Lawyer James James Vawter
A.D. 1758
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The Proportion of y^e School
Town 6 month & sixteen Days are served
West parish 8 month $\frac{1}{4}$ are served
North parish 5 month $\frac{1}{2}$

At a meeting of the Select Men December 29. 1757

The Select Men proportioned the School to the severall Parishes
according to the Town ^{Rate} in 1754. for two Masters each three Years
Equal one Master six Years

The Harbour Parish's Proportion is

33 Months

The Cape Parish

3 Months 19 Days

The Town's Parish Proportion

10 M^o - 16 Days

Squair Parish's

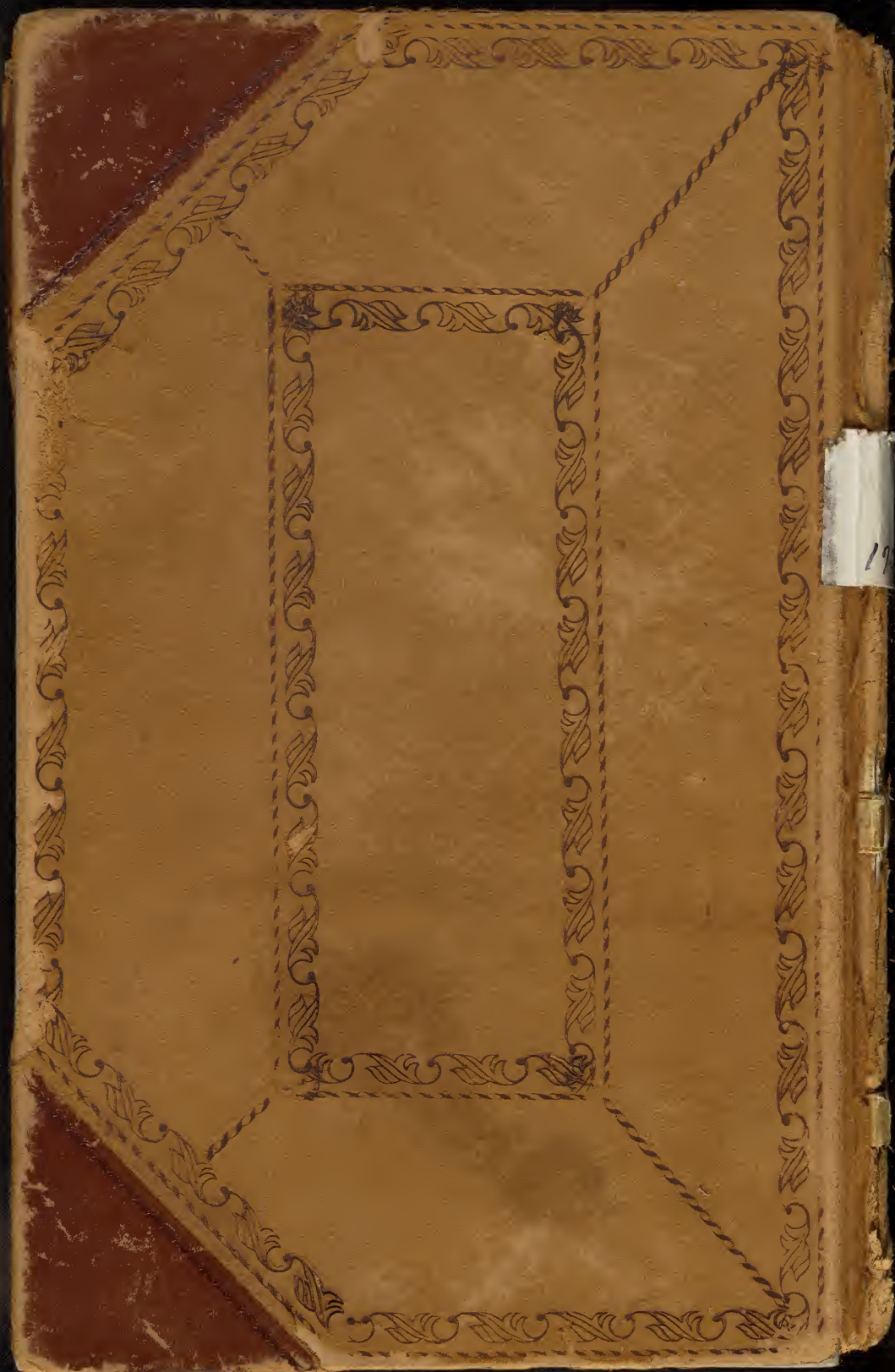
11 M^o - 1 Day

The West Parish's or Precinct

13 M^o - 27 Days

6 M^o 6 Days

20th & 21st
22nd
23rd
24th
25th
26th
27th
28th
29th
30th
31st



at a meeting of the select men March 3
1718/19 Stephen Sonnes had leave to cut
four frames upon the town commons that
is to say a frame for John prince a frame
for Nathaniel Sargent a frame for Josiah
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on the town treasurer for the payment of
seventeen shillings unto Mr John Day it be-
ing for ~~the~~ entertaining the select men -

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the 3: 1718/9 an order was given on the
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being his salary for the yeere 1718.

For March 2^d 1718/9 At
Assessing of y^e select Men. At^{to}
was made Tons. y^e poles and Estats
y^e And y^e Longing to y^e town of
Haverst. on the precinct line for the
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building of seats and galleries in our meeting
house which tax ~~was made~~ amounted to one
hundred thirty and one pound Eighteen Shilling
and nine pene which tax was mad in a List
with a warrant for the same and commit
ed unto Mr Caleb Harwood Constable of that
part of the town afore^d and said constable
is ordered to deliver and pay into

one half part of the above^d sum at on or
Before the fiveteenth Day of aprael next.
and the other half part of y^e sum y^e constable
was ordered to pay into y^e above^d

at on or Before the first Day of august
next insuing the Date here of and to compleat
and make account of y^e Collections at on
or Before the last Day of september next